You?

ngs_

prep-

Our

United

vailing

Fall_

ns for

and

and

Бt.

WILL PROBABLY SEND A MESSAGE

The President Is Reported To Be Preparing a Message

DN THE CUBAN RESOLUTIONS

Which He May Send to the Cabinet Meeting Today

DFFERING UNCLE SAM'S GOOD OFFICES

In Bringing About a Settlement Between Spain and Cuba-Other Washington News.

rumors are in the air tonight as to what Mr. Cleveland is about to do in the

Certain it is that he has prepared him-Belf for action of some kind. Indeed he has a document on the subject ready to submit to the cabinet tomorrow Upon what seems to be good authority understand that it is a letter to Spain, offering mediation between the two parties. It is said to suggest a cessation of hostilities spending a settlement of th issues between the Cubans and the Spanish

The letter is said to be couched in language which can give no offense to Spain and both Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Olney think it will effect the desired result and lead to the eventual independence of Cuba.

Will Control at Chicago. free coinage democrats will control the Chicago convention.'

The speaker was Judge Terry, of Ar-"Every county in Arkansas," he con-

tinued, "which has acted has declared for free coinage. Every county in the state will do the same thing. Senator Jones be re-elected on this issue. Governor Clark has retired.

"The gold men attempted to split some of the counties and send divided delegations to the state convention, but we seelined to compromise. The fight has been made straight and everything is for free coinage, "I understand the gold men in Georgia are crying for a division of delegates, but I hope the free coinage democrats will not submit. The fight should be a square one, with no compromises-no deals. Where the gold men are in the majority they accord us nothing. We should give them nothing. The time has come for the issue to be fought out in the party.

Mississippi Is Solid. will send a solid free coinage delegation to Chicago. Our state convention will declare emphatically, and we shall send men to the convention who will not be I vildozed by delegations from states which give the democratic party no electoral votes. We do not propose that these states shall dictate the platfom, but propose to have that done by the states which vote the democratic ticket.

So Is Texas.

"Texas," said Senator Chilton, "will send an instructed free coinage delegation to Chicago. We elect delegates to the state June 6th. I have no hesitancy in predicting that two-thirds of the counties will vote will be more.

'The free coinage democrats are in such a large majority in the state that the gold men seem to have lost heart in the fight. Texas, you may be sure, will send and instructed free coinage delegation to Chicago." Other States

And so it is in all the southern states. Alabama is the first to act. We shall know the result there this week. It will be the first free coinage victory. Then will come Missouri solid for free co!nage. Ohio, Indiana and Illinois are expected to act on the same line. Indeed, just at this time everything points to a free coinage victory.

This Is Discrimination.

The debate in Georgia still attracts great attention here. Much interest is manifested. In the press gallery, however, the great est interest is in Colonel Jack Cohen's argument in the Saturday Night Debating Society. Complaint is made that The Evening Journal discriminates. It has printed all of Hoke Smith's speeches and has written editorials on them. Yet The Journal dismissed the debate in the Saturday Night Debating Society by telling that four young men argued for Smith, Crisp, Turner and duBignon, respectively, and only adds:

"There were voluntary speeches by. Mr. Jim Nutting, and upon an invitation extended upon a motion of Mr. Warren Boyd, by Mr. John S. Conen and Mr. Joe Johnson, Jr.

Now, Jack's friends and coworkers in the press gallery-and they are all his friendsprotest. Jack has won Hoke Smith out before the Saturday Night Debating Society. His eloquence has captured the society, and could it elect, Hoke Smith would be senator. That is more than Hoke has done for himself before his audiences. Therefore it is manifestly unjust that Hoke's paper should print Hoke's speeches and merely dismss in a line the young man who has won for him the only victory he has yet

Jack has that personal magnetism which his good editorial and political chief lacks, and the correspondents here think if Hoke would come back and let Jack look after the rest of the series he would come nearer

Tillman for President Senator Ben Tillman is soon to becom an announced candidate for the democratic presidential nomination. He has had his eye upon this plum since his speech of two months ago, which attracted so much attention. He thinks the free coinage democrats are sure to control the Chicago convention, and he thinks his strength with the populists so great that his nomination by the democrats will cause the populists to stampede into the democratic ranks to his

The South Carolina senator left Washing. ton today to make speeches in Louisville, ton today to make speeches in Louisville, services, and rendered an excellent programme. It is thought the proceeds will sent he will have numerous conferences arount to about \$5,000. St. Louis, Chicago and Denver. While ab-

with prominent western silver men, and when he comes back he propeses to shell the woods again in a speech on the subfect of Pacific railroads, Senator Tillman is a good politician. He

knows that he has no sure thing on the democratic nomination. If he doesn't get it he will have the silver and populist convention to go to, and take a nomination, and he may do it.

Seriously speaking Tillman is very strong with a certain extreme element in the cour try, and should the democratic convention not adopt a free coinage platform he will perhaps go to the populists and be their ominee. There is talk, and much of it, to the effect that in the event neither of the parties speaks out for free coinage there will be a silver party, and that party will nominate Teller and Tillman. They would carry several states, too.

But Tillman will hardly get in when the emocrats nominate. The chances are the Thicago convention will speak for free coinage. If that be the case Boies, of Iowa, a strong and conservative free coinage democrat, will perhaps be the nominee. Should the convention declare for gold Cleveland is Washington, April 9.-(Special.)-All sorts the logical candidate, though the great mass of his party is against him. Yet, if the office holders get the convention he is the man they will name. And Cleveland would not be averse to it. Indeed he is using all the power of the government to control that convention his way, and it is not improbable that he will play foreign cor plications to his own end. Watch him

Quay and McKinley. Evidence is so convincing that McKinley is to be the republican presidential nomine that even Matt Quay is said to be attempt-

ing to get upon the band wagon. Quay started the favorite son game of olitics, which has so signally failed. No one realizes it better than he. He now wants to go over to McKinley, but in doing so wants to make a deal with the Ohio man by which Tom Platt, of New York, can be provided for. Platt wants a cabinet port-

one of Quay's personal friends, said to-

"I talked with Mr. Quay just before his departure for Florida, and expressed to him the opinion that if McKinley continued to gain delegates as he has up to date, outside of Pennsylvania, it would be useless to try to stem the popular tide in his favor in Pennsylvania. But Mr. Quay held to the opinion that McKinley could not be nominated. What I have said and what I say now is that, in my opinion, if McKialey continues to triumph as he has been doing over his opponents in other parts of the country, as he has in Kentucky and other places, Mr. Quay will step aside by the time the Pennsylvania state convention meets and the convention will indorse Mc-

"Mr. Quay is not unfriendly toward Mc Kinley, and if popular sentiment demands the nomination of the Ohio candidate I do my opinion, as I have stated it, and I reiterate it. If the situation is such that the Pennsylvania delegation can nominate Mc-Kinley my opinion is that he will get their votes. There is nothing to bar Quay from going over to McKinley and nothing to prevent his being treated with consideration by McKinley. He is differently situated from Platt. I have no doubt that consideration of his association with Platt is the only thing that can hold him back. He never deserts a friend. I think he has been talking with Platt to determine what can ence I draw from the situation as I find it. This is the politics of the situation and

. They Will Be Soldiers. Two young Georgians were today ap-ointed cadets to the West Point Military academy-Harrey Stovall, of Athens, and Gordon Chasen, of Iron City. Russell

Fleming, of Bainbridge, is alternate for the

VANDIVER AT THE CAPITAL. He Is Pushing His Appointment-It Is Being Fought.

Washington, April 9.—(Special.)—Mr. Vandiver arrived tonight to defend himself in the vigorous fight being made against his nomination for the Rome postoffice. Mr. Vandiver has been recommended to The recommendation of the congressman from a city usually carries the appointment. Postmaster General Wilson has, nowever, held up Mr. Vandiver's appointment to hear all the charges that are made against him by Mr. W. M. Towers. Mr. Towers wants Assistant Postmaster Chit-sey, now acting postmaster, appointed. To bring this about he made all manner of charges against Mr. Vandiver and in do ing so brings in other prominent citizens of Rome, notably ex-Mayor King, whom he names as playing a friendly game of poker with Mr. Vandiver. He tells how were caught and fined \$10 each and he says because Mr. Vandiver used to be a liquor dealer he should not have the place. Towers has been working hard, but the chance are that he cannot prevent Mr. Vandiver getting the postoffice.

MORE SHIPS FOR THE NAVY.

Over Thirty Millions Reported for the

Naval Appropriation. Washington, April 9.—The navy appropriation bill for the coming fiscal year was reported to the senate from the committee today. The changes from the bill as it came from the house aggregate a reduction of \$432,957 and an increase making a net reduction of \$367,757. The estimates for 1897 were \$29,313,166 and the house appropriated \$31,647,239, which was

reduced by the senate to \$31,279,482. The four sea-going battleships author-ized in the house bill are left untouched Amendments have been made, however, in the provisions for torpedo boats. Instead of five capable of attaining a speed of twenty-six knots, as provided by the house, the senate has substituted three torpedo boats which will in reality be torpedo boat catchers with a maximum speed of not less than thirty knots an hour.

hour.

In place of ten or more torpedo boats, to cost not exceeding \$800,000 and to have the highest practicable speed for vessels of their class, the senate has substituted a provision for "not to exceed ten torpedo boats to cost in all not exceeding \$500,000 and to have the highest practicable speed for vessels of their class."

NEW YORK LOVES THE HEROES.

Joe Jefferson, Drew and Others Benefit the Confederate Camp.

New York, April 9. - The performance given at the Fifth Avenue theater tonigh en at the leafth Avenue theater tonight for the mortuary fund of the confederate veteran camp of New York was a suc Joseph Jefferson, May Irwin, John Drew, Maud Adams and others from New York city's principal theaters, volunteered their

THE BIG GENERAL OF JAPAN'S ARMY

He Is In Omaha, Where He Is Viewing American Soldiers.

TALKS MOST INTERESTINGLY

Japan Is Thoroughly Satisfied with Silver Money.

IT HELPED CIVILIZE JAPAN HE SAYS

The Field Marshal Says That Japan Is at Peace with All the World Now and Desires To Remain So.

Omaha, Neb., April 9 .- (Special.) - Marquis Yamagata, field marshal of Japan, and his staff spent the day in Omaha, the guests of General Coppinger, commander of the de-

The marquis diverged from the policy which he has maintained of avoiding interviews and received your representative most cordially.

The conversation which followed was car-



MARQUIS YAMAGATA.

vate Secretary Ternsaki, the marshal apo ogizing for his inability to speak the English language. His excellency, when approached on the financial policy of Japan,

"Japan has no wish for a gold standard or years to come, the silver in circulation being most advantageous for the transaction of business with other nations. Silver is used almost exclusively and is found to benefit both the exporter and importer, as will be evidened by the rapid strides which my country has made toward civilization n recent years.

"Japan is at peace with all the great European countries. There is no intention of either Japan or Russia occupying Corea. It is the intention of both countries tha Corea shall be an independent country.

No Danger of a Conflict.

try does not mean that there is the slightest danger of a conflict between them. The marshal referred to the cablegram in of the regiments from twenty-eight to fifty-two in Japan, and said that it was something that had long been contemplated and that doing this had no significance of approaching difficulties.

The marshal expressed himself as highly pleased with his reception in this country, and said that the most kindly relations existed between the United States and Japan. It is the wish of Japan to continue on friendly relations with all countries or the face of the globe.

The party left for the east tonight.

SPAIN IN BAD HUMOR.

Protecting Our Legation at Madrid Against Attack or Insult. Madrid, April 9.-The government official have taken every precaution to safeguard the United States legation against attack or insult in view of the temper of the poplace as the result of the adoption of the Cuban belligerency resolution and similar measures have been taken for the protecion of the residence of Senor Canovas del

astillo, the prime minister. The governors of the provinces have been rdered to promptly suppress any disturb nces that may occur and to observe such rmness in their action as will prevent a repetition of disorder. The city is perfectly quiet this morning. No anti-American demonstrations were made during the night, nor have any been reported from he provinces. The tone of the newspapers in commenting upon the action of the American house of representatives is quiet

and dignified. A council of the republican groups has resolved to organize a demonstration against the vote of the American congress to recognize the Cuban insurgents as beilig-erents. The leaders of all the political parties will be invited to take part in the dem-

London, April 9.-The Madrid correspondent of The Standard telegraphs that at a meeting of the cabinet this evening Prime Minister Canovas del Castillo announced that official and private advices fro Washington induced the belief that President Cleveland would not at present put into effect the belligerency resolutions The government, he added, would remain cially informed of the intentions of the United States.

The Globe, commenting on the passage of the Cuban resolution by the United States house of representatives, yesterday

We foresee the gravest mischief if President Cleveland attempts to bully Spain. Nevertheless, the situation in Cuba is desperate. If the war continues much longer the island will be ruined beyond redem tion. The Madrid government should imnediately give serious consideration to the question of making concessions to the Cubans, despite the loss of national prestige

NEITHER JAPS NOR CHINESE.

The Portuguese Don't Want Them in

Honolulu. San Francisco, April 9 .- Correspondence of the United Press, per steamer Mariposa

-Honolulu, Apr 1 2.-On the morning of
the 26th of March, after several preliminary meetings, nearly 760 Portuguese marched in a body to the government building and sent a petition addressed to the president and legislature. Their demeanor was entirely peaceable and orderly. Copies of the petition were at once made and presented to the two

houses of the legislature. The grievance of the Portuguese is, that having been brought here by their government and having settled in the islands and are now increased to 13,000 souls, they had themselves subject to an invasion of Chinese and Japanese immigrants. They ask for measures to restrict Asiatic immigration, also for a more equitable system of taxation.

REUNITED AND HAPPY.

A GEORGIAN FIGURES IN A RO-MANTIC AFFAIR. Remarries His Wife, Who Had Mourn-

ed Him for Dead and Taken a New Husband.

Rockville, Conn., April 9 .- (Special.) -A

marriage which savors of romance was performed by a local clergyman this afternoon, uniting Buel Seymour, of Fitzgerald Ga., and Mrs. C. C. Maher. Mrs. Maher, who was formerly Miss Ellen Bancroft, of this city, first married Seymour in 1865, the ceremony being performed at Granville, Mass.

They went west, settling in Indiana, and three children were born to them. In moving to a new, farm, the couple became separated and Mrs. Seymour, after a fruitless search for her husband, gave him up for dead and returned to her home here. About five years ago she married C C Maher, and two years afterwards he eloped with a pretty waiter girl. Mrs. Maher

then secured a divorce. Recently she learned that Seymour, her first husband, was alive and a prosperous Georgia merchant, and she corresponded with him, with the result that he came east, and they agreed to forgive and forget the past and be remarried. They left tonight for Atlanta.

MORMONS IN POLITICS.

Must Not Accept Office Without the

Consent of Church Authorities. Salt Lake, April 9 .- The semi-annual con ace of the Mormon church closed last night by the issuance of a manifesto by the heads of the church. It says that before accepting any position or nomination, po-itical or otherwise, members of the church who hold any church office (and 70 per cent of the Mormon people do hold church offices) must apply to the proper authorities and learn from them whether they will be permitted to accept such nomination or position. To maintain proper discipline and order in the church, the manifesto says, this rule is deemed absolutely necessary, and should not be considered as an infringe-ment on the individual rights of the citi-

Their position, as defined, is that a man having accepted the honors and obligations of ecclesiastical office in the church cannot of his own volition make these honors subordinate or even co-ordinate with new ones of an entirely different character, and that he is bound to obtain the consent of the priesthood before assuming any other such

Moses Thatcher, who accepted the nemination for United States senetar without consulting the first presidency was deposed from his office as apostle in the church during the conference

THE TROOPS WILL LEAVE.

Negroes About Opelousas Have Been Made To Register Under Threats. New Orleans, La., April 9 .- A special to The Daily States from Opelousas, La., says that quiet prevails today in the parish of St. Landry; that no organized bands of white supremacists are in the field. The troops are still having a good time in the courthouse square and but few negroes are availing themselves of the opportunity to made to Registrar Swords by leading colored men who have registered, to cancel their registration from the books, which, of course, he is without authority to do beyond an entry in each case to the effect

hat the party applied to cancel his regis-There are many proofs coming to light that a system of terrorism has been pro-duced on the negroes, to force them to register, and in more instances than one negroes have been threatened with death if they did not register.

The system of terrorism and threats have been used with effect to force several lead-ing colored men who had advised the corored people not to register or take any part in politics, to leave town, Some who have been compelled to register under these threats declare that they will leave the parish before election day rather than vote. A colored man living in this town who had been forced to register under such threats made that statement today. The troops will probably be relieved tomorrow, as there is no further use for them here.

KNAPP'S EXPULSION.

In Constantinople It Meets with Great Disfavor.

Constantinople, April 9.—The high-handed action of the Turkish authorities at Bitlis in expelling the American missionary, Rev. George P. can missionary, Rev. George P. Knapp, from that place, is regarded here as a serious menace to all charitable work in Anatolia. The action of the gov-ernment of Bitlis in expelling Mr. Knapp was probably taken in obedience to orders from the palace and not from the porte received here from Diarbekin state that Mr. Knapp is the guest of the vali of that place and that he is being treated with every possible consideration.

For Knapp's Release. London, April 9.-The object of the meetng of the Armenian relief committee which was held yesterday under the chair-manship of the duke of Argyll, to protest against the proposed action of the Turkish authorities in expelling the Protestant and Roman aCtholic missionaries from Asia Minor, is generally indorsed by the London newspapers. A resolution was advo-cated by Mr. C. E. Schwann, member of parliament for North Manchester, requesting the government to take immediate leg the government to take immediate leasures to secure the release of the Rev. eorge P. Knapp, the American missionary scently expelled from Bitlis, and whose cpulsion from Turkey altogether is sought the Turks, who accuse him of having cited the Armenians to revoit.

EASTER IS PAST

And the English Lawmakers Are Back at Work.

London, April 9.-The house of common resumed its sittings after the Easter recess at 3 o'clock this afternoon. There was a full attendance of members and the galeries were crowded with visitors. Mr. G N. Curzon, under foreign secretary, stated in reply to questions that the government had not promised any foreign power that the Egyptian forces should not advance up the valley of the Nile beyond Dongoia.

Mr. Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, stated that President Kruger, of the Transvaal republic, had not yet made any reply to his invitation to visit England. lut paid no attention to them There is no clew to the perpet ators of the

Getting Ready for Stronger Defense Paris, April 9.-Le Journal says that the English are erecting barracks at Malta capable of accommodating 50 300 men. increase of capacity, the paper says, ing made in anticipation of events.

Mediterranean affecting British inter

AN ANGRY FATHER SLAYS HIS CHILD

Then He Kills the Young Man She Was To Marry.

AND BLOWS HIMSELF TO ATOMS

A Double Murder and a Suicide Carefully Planned.

Texas Papa Objects to a Runaway Marriage and Effectually Stops It-Then Kills Himself.

AND FAULTLESSLY EXECUTED IT WAS

Bryan, Tex., April 9.-(Special.)-A tragedy, unusual in its details and horrible in its results, was enacted at Millican, a small railroad station a short distance from here, shortly after 2 o'clock this morning. A man well known throughout this

section of the state, a man who had a good financial and social standing, killed his daughter, took the life of the young man with whom she was seeking the min fster, by whom they were to be married, and then blew himself to pieces with

He Knew What He Was Doing. Brooks-that is the murderer and sul-cide's name-had evidently made up his mind to make a finished job of it before

he began his murderous and suicidal life-taking excursion. Evidently he planned the work before he began and when he did start worked by the criminal chart he had made out.

In John Brooks's household was a winsome, handsome daughter. Mollie. Naturally Miss Brooks had admirers and among the number was a young railroad man, A. C. Worrells. It was Worrells Miss Brooks

preferred and of all those who visited the Brooks home Worrells was the one her father opposed. They Start To Elope.

The story of love obstructed was played its full length and when it finally became positively ascertained that the father of the young lady would not give in the young people determined to skip to this place and marry anyhow. Worrells made all arrangements for the license and the minister in Bryan and today was agreed apon by the pair as the day for the wed-

Both Worrells and the young lady guarded the contemplated elopement with the greatest care, but in some way Miss Brooks's father learned enough to arouse his suspicion and to make him very

They Reach the Depot. Their ain from Millican to Bryan passes Millican about half-past 2 o'clock in the morning and about 2 o'clock, the young lady quietly left the home, as she thought inwatched and unobserved, and near the house was joined by Worrells, with whom she went to the depot to await the train. But it seems that her father had been keeping close vigil and without attempting to intercept his daughter as she went out, quietly followed the pair to the depot. On the platform was a number of people awaiting the train and through them Brooks walked right up to his daughter and the man she loved and whom she was to wed. They were standing side by side happy in the anticipation of the marriage, when Brooks faced them. Without word to either he pulled his pistol, and

placing it almost against his own daughter's heart, rulled the trigger. Right Through Her Heart. The ball went through her heart, causing nstant deata. Then, as his daughter dropped into the

arms of the young man she loved, her father sent another ball into him, taking his life. Without paying any attention to the corror-stricken crowd around him Brooks walked coolly to a rock quarry, a half-mile away, sat down on a box of dynamite and The explosion tore him to atoms. Small pieces of flesh were found in one or two places, but so far nothing but his legs and

WHAT DID THEY CHEW?

feet have been found.

A HALF DOZEN CHILDREN ATE A WEED.

They Were in the Woods Frolicking. Two of Them Are Now Dead. Linwood, iMch., April 9.-Walter, aged seven: Lorenzo, aged five, and Grace, aged three, children of Thomas Hadden, and Cecelia, aged four; Harry, aged eight, and Arthur, aged seven, children of George Stevens, got hold of some wild parsnip

Stevens died in a few hours and the other hildren are in a critical condition. AT THE BOTTOM OF THE BAY Nine Sailors Find a Final Resting

Place.

roots while playing in the woods yesterday and ate them. Lorenzo Haddan and Cecelia

San Francisco, April 9.-During a squall on the bay this morning the British ship Blairmore was capsized and six of her crew drowned. They were: Thomas Judgate, chief officer. Samuel Kennedy, steward.

Rerabaum, sailmaker. Synastraud and F. Clark, able seamen, and E. Siegle, apprentice, nineteen years

Nine others of the crew were rescued by boats that were in the vicinity. oat lying astern and pulled half to the inding. The Blairmore arrived from Newcastle, New South Wales, with a cargo of oal about a week ago, making the voyage in fifty-six days, the fastest time or record.

THE RED-HANDED ASSASSIN Moved at Midnight for His Bloody

Work-No Arrests Made Yet. Jacksonville, Fla., April 9.—A special to The Times-Union says that last night about 7 o'clock Deputy Sheriff John W. Hanchey, near DeFuniak Springs, Fla., was assassin-ated while walking in his yard with a lighted lamp. His sister started for assistance and lost her way, only reaching the town this morning. Hanchey had receiver anonymous letters, threatening his life,

New Orleans Municipal Politics.

its object reform and good municipal gov-ernment for the city of New Orleans, out-side the ranks of the democratic party. This organization has nominated Mr. W. C.

Flower for mayor, but has made no other nominations as yet.

The regular democracy has held its convention and nominated Congressman C. F. Buck, of the second district, for mayor.

MANTLE'S MAIDEN SPEECH.

He Speaks of the Senators Who Helped Defeat the Dingley Bill. Washington, April 9.—I'he senate did a rushing business in the way of private pension bills in the last hour of today's session, having cleared he calendar ald passed every pension bill on it, seventy-five in number, within sixty minutes. The early hours of the session were taken up in the delivery of two prepared speeches, one by Mr. Mantle, republican, of Montana, and the other by Mr. Butler, populist, of

North Carolina. Mr. Mantle's speech was mainly a de fense of the senators from the silver pro-ducing states for their action in helping to defeat the Dingley tariff bid, passed by the house in the early part of the session. He criticised the bill for being in the interest of the wool manufacturers rather than of the wool growers and declared himself as being equally in favor of binetallism and of protection to American indus-try. He expressed the hope that the finance committee would report a fair taric bill. coupled with a provision for free coinage At the close of Mr. Mantle's speech (it was his maiden speech in the senate) he received the congratulatons of many sen ators and then participated in a running discussion with Senator Hawley, republi-can, of Connecticut; Senator Hoar, republican, of Massachusetts, and Senato Mills, democrat, of Texas, the latter characterizing a protective tariff as a protective

humbug.

Mr. Butler's speech was in support of a bill heretofore introduced by him for the establishment of a postal telegraph system. Between the close of Mr. Butler's speech and the taking up of the pension bills the Indian appropriation bill made some progress. At 5:15 o'clock the senate adjourned until

THEY DIE QUICK.

The Plague in China Doesn't Give the Victim Many Days.

Washington, April 9.—A report received by Suitzeon General Wyman, of the marine hospital service, from Passed Assistant Surgeon W. F. Arnold, of the navy, stationed at Hong Kong, China, dated March 2d, states that the "plague" had assumed epidemic proportions at that place. The isolation of suspected indi-viduals had ceased to be practiced, and all bills of health of the port stated its prevalence, giving details of the precautions taken in cases where important mail steamers were concerned. It was also very prevalent in Canton and high up West river. Surgeon Arnold concludes his

report as follows:
"I would direct your attention to the fact that the virus of this disease seems fully as ineradicable as that of glanders from surroundings favorable to it. I think the most careful measures for its exclusion should be insured by repeated inspections of all steamers reaching our country from southern China. I am informed that its prevalence at Amoy in the past year has been concealed for commercial reasons, but I do not know this to be an absolute fact. I have seen nearly all of the cases admitted since the 3d ultimo and have made partial examinations of the bodies of many who died of it, every facility being shown me by the acting colonel surgeon. Dr. J. M. Atkinson, and his assistant, Dr. J. A. Lawson, whose practical knowledge of this scourage is unexcelled. It is very fatal. With the exception of about a dozen mild cases that came about a month ago at least 5 per cent of observed cases have field, and that usually within the first four days of illness." sion should be insured by repeated inspec

OHIO WILL ELECTROCUTE.

The Jones Senate Bill Adopted-Who the First Victim Will Be. Columbus, O., April 9.-By the action of the house today in passing the Jones sen-ate bill Ohio adopts the electric method of execution. It does not go into effect until

July 1st, and continues the gallows method of execution for all persons upon whom the sentence of death has already been proounced. Four condemned men now in the annex of the state prison will, therefore, be hung. Charles Morris, who has been found guilty of murder in the first degree at Washington courthouse and is waiting sentence will probably be the first victim of the electric chair in this state.

WHERE JAMES BOYS WORKED.

A Quintet Arranged To Hold Up Train, but Were Foiled. St. Louis, Mo., April 9.—A southbound express train on the Iron Mountain road narrowly escaped a hold-up at 11 o'clock

last night. Preceding the express car was a con struction train of three cars. When Gads Hill was reached the first train ran onto a siding and into an obstruction. On the steep bank overlooking the track were five mounted and armed men. The would-be robbers saw they had the wrong train and hurriedly rode off. The track was repaired and both trains proceeded unmolested. Gads Hill is the scene of the memorable robbery by the James and Younger brothers in 1873.

WHO KINDLED THE FIRE?

A Four-Story Building Gets a \$100,-000 Blaze. Chicago, April 9.—The four-story building at 278 Madison street was badly damaged

of fire of unknown origin at 5:30 o'clock A. Ellinger & Co., cloak manufacturers. occupying the three opper floors, were the heaviest losers, their stock and fixtures being damaged \$100,000, fully covered by insurance. The losses of other occupants of surance. The losses of other occupants of the building are small, the principal dam-age being by water. The total loss is esti-mated at \$120,000, fully covered by insur-

SIX DAYS AFLOAT.

Sees Two Companions Drop Off and Go Down.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 9.-Axel Johnson one of the crew of the schooner Seminole, which was wrecked several days ago off the east coast of Florida, floated ashore four miles south of Fort Pierce on wreckage, to which he had been clinging 136 hours without food or water. Two companions with him on the raft were washed overboard several days ago. Johnson is badly bruised and very weak.

Virginia Agriculturists Meet.

Richmond, Va., April 9.—The state board of agriculture today elected Colonel A. S. Buford president and the body reorganized its several committees and mapped out new lines of work. The sum of \$1,500 was appropriated to hold farmers' institutes in the ten congressional districts during the year.
Commissioner Whitehead presented his quarterly report, which showed that the sum of \$7,000 was received from fertifizer inspections during the last three morths.

About Mrs. Maybrick.

Washington, April 9.-The house passed a resolution asking the se-New Orleans Municipal Politics of state to give the house any information the department might have regarding the are reaching a warm temperature. An organization calling itself the "Citizens' Lengue" has been formed. It claims for band, a merchant of Liverpool.

IT'S DOWN SOUTH PROSPERITY SHOWS

The Only Section Not Showing a Large Increase in Failures.

THEY ARE SCARCE IN DIXIE

One Western State Alone Has More Than All the South.

MANY NEW INDUSTRIES ARE SPRINGING UP

It Is in the Southern States That the Money Is Being Used for New Enterprises.

Raltimore Md April 9-The Manufacture ers' Record has analyzed the statistics of past three months, showing the number of failures throughout the country, as compared with the corresponding period of last year.

This shows that the record of the south for the past three months exhibits a phenomenal stability as compared with the failures in the west and northwest. The failures in the south for the first six months of 1896 show a total increase in liabilities of only \$500,000 over the corresponding period of 1895, and this entire increase was in Texas, where a \$2,0 wholesale grocery failure occurred. But for this the liabilities in the south would exhibit a large decrease as compared with last year, notwithstanding the fact that there was an increase in liabilities throughout the country of \$15,600,000.

The South Takes the Lead. In contrast with the south the centra vestern states show an increase in liabili-The one state of Minnesota, with an increase in liabilities of \$2,300,000, showed an increase five times as great as the total increase of liabilities in the entire south. In fact, the increase of liabilities in Montana alone was \$548,000, which was greater than the increase in the thirteen s

Comparing the bank clearings for the first three months of the year, The Manufacturers' Record and the commercial agency reports say: "By far the best showing and the largest number of increases in bank clearings are reported from the south. The returns for the three months show a gain in the southern states in clearings of 14.6 per cent, compared with the same time last year against an increase of only 2.8 per cent in the western states, 4 per cent in the northwestern states, 2.2 per cent in New England and an average gain of &4

Progress in This Section. "These figures show that the south con-"These figures show that the south continues to make good progress in general business expansion, notwithstanding the complaints from all parts of the country of duliness in trade. The south has for several years past, despite the general depression, made better progress, than any other part of the country."

Among the industrial enterprises reported for the week are the country."

Among the industrial enterprises reported for the week are the country. The company at Norfolk, with a proposed capital stock of \$500,000 for the purpose of building a steel floating dry dock and marine railway repair shops; a \$200,000 cotton will incorporated at Spartanburg, S. C.; cotton

corporated at Spartanburg, S. C.; cotton mills prejected at Allendale, S. C.; Gainesville, Tex.; Palmetto, Ga.; Austell, Ga., and mill at Sumter, S C.

A Large Lumber Mill To Go Up. A forty-thousand acre tract of timberland has been urchased in Alabama and a large lumber mill will be built in connection it; a \$25,000 cotton oil mill company been organized in Arkansas; a \$50,00 tric and power plant in Florida; a \$00,000 fertilizer company at Valdosta, Ga.; a \$50,000 electric lighting plant at Houston, Tex.; a \$30,000 tanning and leather company at Laredo; a \$30,000 ice and cold storage plant at El Paso; cement works to turn out 300 barrels daily at Glasgow, Va.; the enlargement of operations by a coal company in Texs to produce 3,000 tons of coal a day by early fall: the reorganization and the starting up of a long idle furniture

THE ANTI-DRAMMERS.

manufacturing company, with \$70,000 of

The Illinois Prohibitionists Nominate a Ticket and Pass Resolutions. Springfield, Ill., April 9.—The prohibition state convention today nominated the fol-lowing ticket: Governor, Hale Johnson, Newton: lieutenant governor, E. A. Windell, Fairbury; secretary of state, Alonzo E. Wilson, Chicago; auditor, Arthur J. Bassett, Chicago; treasurer, E. K. Hays, Calva; attorney general, Robert H. Patton, Springfield. C. M. Whipple and Oliver W. Stewart were chosen as members of national committee. A resolution adopted which requests congress to prohibit the manufacture of l'quor in the United States and also prohibit the sale of liquor in the District of Columbia, all ter-

ritories and all military posts. STOCK EXCHANGE RAIDED.

The Police in Chicago Scoop Down Once More. Chicago, April 9 .- At 3:10 this afternoon a raid was made upon the public stock exchange, the big concern doing a bucket-shop business at 125 Washington street. There were over 125 men in this place at the time and the appearance of the officers was the signal for a grand rush. Possibly fifteen men escaped before the officers could bar the doors, but the remainder were made prisoners in the trading room of the concern and shortly afterwards transferred to police headquarters in the city hall.

The police then began the work of gutting

the place and the big blackboards, tickers and other paraphernalia were removed. Shorter Hours for Women. Boston, April 9,-The convention of cotton mule spinners was ended today after five

sessions. Among the matters acted upon was the appointment of Robert Howard, of Fall River, as an organizer for the southern states. The delegates were instructed to ask the congressmen from their various states to urge upon congress a namen and children in the manufa

New York, April 9.—George Austin Mor-rison, chairman of the board of directors of the American Cotton Oil Company, has been elected president of that company to succeed T. R. Chaney, who has resigned. Mr. Chaney remains a director of the com-

Was Chairman-Now President.

From Congress to State Senate. Knoxville, Tenn., April 9.-John C

REED'S CHANCES.

His Friends Are More Cheerful Since New Hampshire Acted.

THEY WERE DESPONDENT

And the Resolutions of the Granite State Gave Them New Heart, Germany's Sugar Bounty.

Washington, April 9 .- (Special.)-Reed's managers are plucking up heart again They are, of course, still annoyed at the resolution adopted by the New Hampshire convention, which linked McKinley's name to the boom of their man, but the eight delegates of the Granite State have since then met and instructed themselves for Reed first, last and all the time. This is, after all, the resolution that counts. The profess to be assured that there will be no repetition of the New Hampshire busiress in the conventions of Vermont, Con necticut and Rhode Island. They are therefore, claiming a united and eathusiastic New England for the man from Maine Moreover they have been looking up the votes in other republican national conventiors. Especially is that of 1888 regarded as ir point, resembling more closely the convention of this year than any other; The situation was much the same as it is Then John Sherman was the leading candidate. On the first ballot he led all the rest, but he was not nominated. The the first ballet was as follows: Alger, M; Depew, 19; Gresham, 107; Hawley, 3; I helps, 25; Lincoln, 3; Fitler, 24; Sher-259; Allison, 72; Harrison, 85; Ingalls, 28; Rusk, 25; Blaine, 35; McKinley, 2. Eight ballots were taken in that convention On

the fourth Depew, Phelps and Rusk had fallen out. With the seventh Allison quit. The eighth and final ballot stor?. Harri-544; Sherman, 118; Alger, 106; Gresham, 59; Blaine, 5; McKinley, 4. Harrison was nominated. McKird'y's highest vote was on the fifth ballo', when he received The total number of delegates was 831 416 being necessary to a choice. These figures carry cor.fort to the bosoms of the Reed men, and to all the tribe of anti-McKinleyins, for the race has resolved itself into the field against McKinley. In 1860, 1576, 1880 and 1888 the field won. In 1868 and 1884, the only conventions since 1860 in which the incumbent of the presidential office was not a candidate for re-election. save alone 1880, the favorite won. History is bound, therefore, to repeat itself, but which year will it take as a model? The anti-McKinleyites believe that the Ohio man cannot be nominated on the first ballot and that they will be able to combine the field against him. The McKinleyites. on the other hand, practically admit that their man cannot be nominated on the first ballot, but they insist that not a man has been elected a McKinley delegate who will ever leave-him. They, therefore, count on his gaining from the first ballot, and that upon the second, third or some other, there will be a stampede to him.

Germany To Increase Sugar Bounty. cles here, either has already or soon will increase the bounty she pays to exporters of German beet sugar, raw or refined. This come, of course, to enable German beet ugar makers to compete with our manufacturers and raisers of sugar. The practical effect of an increase of bounty is, so far as competition with and in this country is concerned, to decrease the duty levied by our laws. Representatives of the sugar interests of Louisiana, California, Utah, Florida and Texas, including both sugar beet and cane sugar growers, have urging legislation to protect them from the effect of this action by the German government. It is also charged that American flour exported to London, or in fact to any English port, is subjected to severe and unjust discrimination in quay and dock charges imposed, and burdensome regulations as to the time flour cargoes may remain on quays and docks. Representative Fletcher, of Minneapolis, Minn., has introduced a resolution instructing the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce to inquire into the truth of these charges, and if they be found true to report legislation necessary to relieve American flour from such discriminations Discrimination Against America.

This condition of affairs has led to the introduction of several bills having in view the taking of steps necessary to Depteract discriminations against American products. They look to the re-establishment of reciprocity in some form or other. One by Representative Smith, of Michigan, proposes the establishment of a reciprocity commission to inquire into the whole subject and make recommendations. The most important bill relating to this subject is one introduced by Representative Meiklejohn, of Nebraska, entitled "A bill to protect commerce and to countervail foreign discriminating duties, exactions and conditions." Its provisions

"Whenever and so often as any foreign nation, country or colony thereof shall mpose or levy any discriminating duty or exaction, or shall otherwise impose any condition having like effect upon the prodmanufactures, or merchandise, the growth or product of the United States where inspection is required, or shall advance or increase its open or concealed export bounty or premium upon its own roduce, manufacture, or merchandise above the export bounty or premium existing January 1, 1895, the president of the United States shall have the power and it shall be his duty to declare the same by proclamation; whereupon the secretary

SECRET BEAUTIFUL SOAP

amount and the effect of such discriminat ing duty, or exaction, or condition imposed, or the amount of such increase of export, bounty or premium and commu-nicate the facts to the president, who shall thereupon and to countervail said discrimnating duty, exaction, or condition imposed or increased bounty or premium, direct the secretary of the treasury to advance or increase the rate of duty then imposed by law on such products imported from such nations as he may designate to an amount equal to the discriminating duty, exaction, or increased export bounty or premium, and such increased duty is hereby declared and levied accordingly, subject to the action of the president as herein declared.

"In case any nation, country or colony thereof shall prohibit the entry into its ports of any produce, manufacture or merchandise duly inspected by the United States where inspection is required, it shall be the duty of the president to prohibit entry into the ports of the United States of like or such other articles of said na tion, country or colony thereof as shall | said appeared to be relished by the Clarke be designated by the president.

"Upon satisfactory proof being made to the president by the government of any foreign nation, country or colony thereof that no such discrimination, duty or exac tion is levied or condition imposed, or that no export bounty or premium has been increased, or that its prohibition has ceased, or that such duty, increase of export bounty or premium or condition imposed has been withdrawn, the presider shall issue his proclamation to that elect and there-upon the prohibition of fuls country shall cease and the secretary of the treasury shall cancel any suc's discriminating duty or exaction levies hereunder or any inor exaction levies hereunder or any in-crease of bount, premium or condition im-

"Nothing herein contained shall in any way effect or contravene the existing provisions of any treaty or agreement now in force between the United States and ny foreign natio

Representative McCall, of Massachusetts, has introduced a resolution directing the secretary of the interior to cause to be placed in the public library at Boston a complete set of printed specifications and drawings relations to American patents that have already been issued and that may hereafter be issued. Here is a hint for E. W. B.

HE DOESN'T LOVE THE A. P. A.

MR. FITZGERALD, OF THE BAY STATE, TALKS PLAIN.

The Congressman Declares That His Creed Has Been Robbed-The Pilotage Bill.

Washington, April 9 .- The bill to repeal the compulsory pilotage system, so far as it affects sailing vessels engaged in the coastwise trade, was defeated in the house today after a day's debate, by a vote of 117

Mr. Grosvenor, republican, of Ohio, in the course of the discussion, said that while this congress would not enact any legisla-tion intended to improve the condition of the course of the disc the laboring men in this country, he was certain the house would not pass a bil which laboring men believed would tend to still further increase the distress and iscemfort of any portion of their fellows. The amended District of Columbia appropriation bill for the year ending June 30 1897, was passed afte a brief-debate.

The most notable incident of the debate was a bitter attack by Mr. Fitzgerald, demerat, of Massachusetts, upon the American Protective Association by name, for its attack in the dark, as he expressed it, upon the Roman Catholic church, of which h was a member, resulting in depriving instiwas a member, resulting in depriving insti-tutions in the District of Columbia, ecn-ducted under the auspices of the church, of what was justly and legally theirs.

No response was made to Mr. Fitsgerald beyond a bare denial by Mr. Grout, republi-can, of Vermont, in charge of the bill, that it constituted in any sense an attack upon the Catholic church. The vote upon the bill was 134 to 21, and only two members, an insufficient number, joined with Mr. Sul-

for a vote by yeas and nays.

Conference was ordered on the senate amendments to the postoffice appropriation bill. Consideration was begun of the filled cheese bill," imposing a tax upon its nanufacture and sale, and will be continued

"filled cheese bill," imposing a tax upon its manufacture and sale, and will be continued tomorrow.

Mr. Cooke, republican, of Wisconsin, author of one of the bills for which the pending bill was a substitute, addressed the house prior to adjournment, which took place at 5:05 o'clock.

Mr. Fitzgerald, on rising to speak upon the district appropriation bill, said:

"In the few moments at my disposal I intend to pay my respects to an organization existing in this country today that is behind this bill, and has been behind it ever since congress came into session.

"The American Protective Association never made any opposition to the appropriation for these institutions until the night before the debate began and then they bombarded the committee room and insisted upon the appropriation being stricken out. The animus of this organization is well known. A great many members of this house have been importuned to oppose this bill, not in the interest of justice, freedom or broad spirit of liberality and Americanism, but for the simple reason that it appropriates money for Catholic institutions. I stand upon the

bers of this house have been importuned to oppose this bill, not in the interest of justice, freedom or broad spirit of liberality and Americanism, but for the simple reason that it appropriates money for Catholic institutions. I stand upon the floor of the house born and bred a Roman Catholic, and I am proud of it. I deny the right of any secret, oath-bound organization to come before the legal representatives of the American people and by its dark, deep, underhand methods seek to deprive me and members of the religion which I profess of the honest rights, privileges and duties of American citizenship What apology is there for a Roman Catholic to live in this country? Is one necessary? Look at history from the discovery of this land of ours in 1492. Look at the deeds of bravery and heroism and statesmanship that have been performed by Roman Catholics. I challenge any member of the American Protective Association in this house, I challenge any member who is in sympathy with that organization, to name a sphere in life, or any public duty, that has been badly filled or ill-performed by members of the Roman Catholic church. In the great war of the revolution Washington had no firmer friends, no firmer supporters, than the Roman Catholic members of his staff. And when we look at the great naval struggle at that time the first name that springs to our lips is that of an Irishman and a Roman Catholic—Captain John O'Brien—who achieved the first great naval victory of the war off the coast of Malne. It was not asked whether Koscuusko, or Pulaski, or Lafayette were Catholics when the thirteen colonies were struggling for their independence, were struggling for the right to breathe and live—the rights which free born American citizens are enjoying today. At that time could you find any religious fanatics or persons stealthly creeping around from one end of the country to the other in secret order and in secret parlance intriguling against a man's religion? I know we talk about the breadth and liberality and wisdom that w

SPOKE FOR CLARKE

Hon. E. L. Russell, of Mobile, Speaks in Montgomery.

DID NOT MAKE ANY CONVERTS

Negroes Digging for Treasure in an Old Fort-A Man Whipped for Slander.

Montgomery, Ala., April 9.-(Special.)-Hon. E. L. Russell, of Mobile, addressed a good audience here tonight in the interest of Mr. Clarke's candidacy for the gubernatorial nomination. He was introduced by Hon. H. H. Watts and spoke for an hour and a half in behalf of Mr. Clarke and the single gold standard. What he supporters and listened to with indifference by the Johnston men.

The indications were that the speech although it was a creditable exposition and explanation of the single gold standard theories, did little if any harm and little

Mr. Lee Will Retain His Sight. It will be good news to the many friends in Alabama of Mr. Lawrence Lee, of Clayon, to know that he is fast recovering

from the effects of his recent accident. I will be remembered that he was out shooting birds with some friends several weeks ago when a birdshot penetrated the bail of his-left eye and it was considered that his sight was entirely destroyed. He came at once to this city, however, and placed himself in the charge of a competent spe-cialist, who has by careful attention almost entirely restored his sight to him. He will return to his home in Clayton in about a week

Story of Hidden Treasure.

An interesting story comes from Monte-vallo. On a high rocky mountain, about a mile east of the town, is a large circular pile of rocks, seemingly built for a place of defense. It is known as the Indian fort, and is supposed to have been built by them. A short while ago an Indian fortune teller came to Montevallo and told a negro there that a large chest of gold was buried in the fort and that by digging deep enough he could find it. The fortune teller advised him that he might select four partners in the work, but that they must not utter a word while at work. For a month or more now four able-bodied but ignorant negroes have been diligently at work digging for the treasure until they have excavated more than sixty feet deep. The negroes assert that they have several times come within sight of the chest, but their joy each time was so great that they could not suppress their ejaculations of joy, and each time they spoke the chest and the treasure vanished. Two of the party work in the day and two at night, and they say that they are going to continue to dig until they do find the hidden fortune. buried in the fort and that by dig-

Colonel Clark and Staff Inspecting. Colonel Clark and his staff, of the Second ent of Alabama state troops, inspected the local companies, the Blues, the Greys, the artillery and the cavalry, in the local mory. The monigomery troops put up a dendid appearance and were congratuded by Colonel Clark on the fine showing ey made. Mr. Will Crossland, one of the st soldiers in the Blues, has been proted from the first sergeantcy to the cond lieutenantcy of his company.

A Printer Whipped for Slander. A special from Geneva, Ala., says that F. Atkinson a printer, was taken into

B. F. Atkinson a printer, was taken into the woods near that place as day or two ago, severely whipped and told to leave the town without delay, which he-did. It is charged that he had been circulating false and damaging stories about certain young ladies of the place and their male relatives gave him the thrashing.

Unlucky Day for the Merriwethers. Dan Merriwether, colored, of this county, recently lost two daughters on the same recently lost two daughters on the same day, one dying with pneumonia, the other with measles, and while the father was burying the daughters a telegram was received from Birmingham announcing the death of another daughter of the same man. At the same time his wife fell dead on the floor with her laby in her arms. on the floor with her baby in her arm to have been an unlucky day for the Merriwether family.

Johnston Will Get Madison. The Huntsville Daily Tribune, an anti-Johnson newspaper, has this to say about county, which the Clarke men

here are claiming:
"Hon. Richard Clarke will receive "Hon. Richard Clarke will receive a small vote in Madison county, but it will be from a very solid representative class of men. His vote, perhaps, would be far greater if he had any workers for him, but his friends don't seem to pay much attention to his interests."

Commencement Orators.

The following dozen young gentlemen who enjoy the highest rank in the senior class of the University of Alabama, have been selected to deliver orations on commencement day:

mencement day:
J. H. Blue, Montgomery; J. L. Drennen,
Birmingham; J. B. Edgar, Tuskaloosa: W.
H. Ferguson, Birmingham; L. D. Gardner,
Troy; J. F. Jenkins, Camden; H. M. Martin, Union Springs; C. R. Mathis, Dothan;
L. M. Moseley, Union Springs; A. Northington, Prattyllie; E. D. Smith, Birmingham, and J. S. Wing, Montgomery. Murder Trials at Athens, Ala.

Athens, Ala., April 9.—(Special.)—The trial of the two negroes for the killing of Upshaw Smith on Tuesday night of last week was set for today, but was postponed until tomorrow morning. The negroe have confessed to the crime, and also in plicated Jack Winn, a white man. But few, if any, believe the latter guilty of iny complicity in the bloody murder.
The case of the state versus Annie Ma-

hona for the slaying of Redus Westmore land for alleged slanders of the former's sister by the latter a few months ago, and which was reported at the time in these columns, was set for today, but on account of the absence of several of the defendant's witnesses, was passed until the adjourned term of the circuit court, which convenes June 1st. Mahona. has been out on bond, has been placed in jail again, as the grand jury found an inlictment against him for murder in the first degree

Gadsden Ala., April 9.—(Special.)—About o'clock this morning an attempt was made by some dastardly scoundrels to blow up the residence of Mrs. Mayer, in At talla, with dynamite. A stick of dynami was placed under the side of the hou and ignited. A terrific explosion followe and one end of the house was blown out, all the glass and dishes broken and the lady hurt by falling timbers. There is no

clew to the wretches. A Shooting at Attalla. A shooting at Attalia.

A shooting scrape occurred in Attalia some time last night. It seems that Jim Miller, colored, had drawn a pistol on Green Benge, white, and threatened to kill him. Some time later Logan Hafety, the colored head cook at the Forman hotel, warned Miller that he had better leave town to avoid trouble about the matter, whereupon Miller shot Hafety in the right breast, inflicting, perhaps, a fatal wound. Miller escaped and is still at large.

Alabama Supreme Court. Alabama Supreme Court.

The following decisions were rendered by the supreme court today:

Brickell, C. J.—Cleveland Prichard v. Patrick Sweeney, appeal from Mobile circuit court; affirmed.

McClellan, J.—Mary E. Tickner v. J. F. B. Jackson et al., appeal from Chilton chancery court; reversed and rendered. Alabama Iron and Steel Company, Fancher & Buck et al., v. F. C. McKeerer, appeal from Shelby chancery court; modified and affirmed.

Coleman, J.—Thomas H. Holt v. mayor and alderman of Birmingham, appeal from Jefferson criminal court; affirmed.

Head, J.—Mary Cary v. Henry Holmes, appeal from Mobile circuit court, non-suit set aside; reversed and remanded. August

Kling v. Edmund S. Tunstall, appeal from Baldwin circuit court; reversed and remanded.

Haralson, J.—Frank Henderson v. The State of Alabama, appeal from Sumter county court; reversed and remanded.

The following orders were granted by the supreme court today:

Messrs, George John Sullivan, of Mobile; Graves Embry, of Ashville, and William J. Johnson, of Thomasville, were admitted on motion to the supreme court bar.

Mr. Gregory L. Smith presented the resolutions of the Mobile bar upon the life and character of the late Gibson J. Overall. Appropriate remarks were made in reference to the deceased by Messrs. D. P. Bestor, L. H. Falth, John E. Mitchell, Edward L. Russell, which were responded to by Justice Brickell.

Andrew Givans, alias, et., et als., v. The State of Alabama, from Baldwin circuit court, submitted a brief.

Emanuel Wheat v. The State of Alabama, from Washington circuit court; submitted a brief.

Cass Robirson v. The State of Alabama, from Mobile city court; submitted a brief.

Exparte J. O. Green, mandamus to Hon. John W. Bishop, judge, etc.; argued and submitted.

George B. Cleveland v. Adelaide G. D. Edwards, et als., from Mobile chancery court; continued.

John N. Craft v. Jetty Simon, from Mobile circuit court; argued and submitted.

Anniston, Ala., April 9.—(Special.)—One of the most notable and fashionable wed-

Anniston, Ala., April 9.—(Special.)—One of the most notable and fashionable weddings that Anniston has witnessed for some time occurred at high noon yesterday in the church of St. Michael and All Angels, the contracting parties being Mr. William Eggard Hulsey and Miss Mary Tallulah Noble, in whom were represented two of Georgia's and Alabama's best and most prominent families. Mr. Hulsey is a son of Colonel and Mrs. W. H. Hulsey, of Atlanta. He came to this city several years ago to take a position in the An-niston office of S. M. Inman & Co., cotton factors, and during his residence here has attained a most enviable place in Anniston's social and business circles. His bride is a daughter of Mr. William Noble, who with his brother, Mr. Samuel Noble, Mr. Alfred L. Tyler and others, was one of the founders of Anniston. She is a young woman in whose beauties of mind and heart and lovely and attractive person are illustrated the best qualities of irresistible young southern womanhood The church, which had been darkene

was prettily lighted for the event. Rare flowers were wreathed upon the altar and chancel, and the effect was magnificent. At exactly 12 o'clock the ceremony was chancel, and the effect was magnificent. At exactly 12 o'clock the ceremony was performed according to the beautiful Episcopal service by Rev. Stephen \H. Green, and was witnessed by hundreds of relatives; and admiring friends, among the former being the groom's narents and other of his relatives. Mr. John W. Noble, a brother, gave away the bride, who was attended by her sister, Miss Linda Noble, as maid of honor. Mr. Inman H. Sanders, of Atlanta, was Mr. Hulsey's best man. The other attendants were Miss Emily Smith, of Rome; Miss Marion Fluissey, of Atlanta; Misse Ida Pruden, of Eufaula: Misses Lily and Edith McMillian, of Anniston: Mr. C. O. Harwell, of Atlanta; Mr. S. L. Crook, Mr. W. H. McKleroy, Mr. John W. Knight and Mr. A. J. Goodwin, of Anniston, while the ushers were Mr. C. L. Brooks, of Atlanta; Mr. Z. M. Curry, Mr. W. H. Elam and Mr. Fred Noble, of Anniston. An elegant reception at the home of the bride's father followed.

followed.
At 6:10 o'clock last evening Mr. and
Mrs. Hulsey, Colonel and Mrs. W. H.
Hulsey and others of the Atlanta attendants took their departure for Atlanta,
where the bride and groom will spend
some weeks, afterwards coming back to
make Annilston their home.
A delightful german was given here last make Anniston their home.

A delightful german was given here last hight complimentary to the visiting attendants upon the wedding. It was one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season and was a fitting aftermath to the brilliant marriage of the midday.

SEIZURE OF CANADIAN VESSELS. The Senate Considers the Appointment of the Commission.

Washington, April 9.—The executive ses-don of the senate yesterday af-erroon was brief and besides terroon confirmations was voted to the reception of a report from Mr. Sherman, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, on the treaty nov before the senate relating to the appoint ment of a commission for the assessment of damages growing out of the seizure of Canadian vessels for violations of gulations relating to Behring sea fur fisheries.

Mr. Sherman reported a few amendments,

which were ordered printed. The treaty will be taken up in a few days. Objections were made to its con sideration this afternoon on account of illness of Senator Morgan, although Sherman stated that the state department was very anxious to have the matter disposed of. The amendments reported are only verbal and will not change the text of the treaty in any material manner. The addition of the four vessels, not included in the statement of fact ubmitted to the Paris tribunal, and which were thrown out by the committee, have been permitted to stand. The word "award," as used in the treaty, has, how-ever, been expurgated for the reason that

claim of the British ambassador that the Paris tribunal made any award in connecion with this matter. On the contrary they contend that the question of damages was not before the tribunal, and that the high court of arbitration expressely declined to consider any question relating to damages. Believing that the word "award," if permitted to stand, would, therefore, lead to confusion the committee has reported in favor of striking it out and changing the text relating to the statement of facts so as t read "as found by the Paris tribunal," Paris tribural," etc.

the committee does not agree with th

The only other amendment of consequence is one which provides that the commission may sit in Vancouver or San Francisco the original draft of the convention stipu lating that the sessions should all be held in Vancouver. Should the illness of Mr. Morgan who, it may be stated, is antago nistic to any treaty, be prolonged, it is be-lieved that the matter will be taken up and disposed of, for the state department has been urging speedy action, owing to the presence in Washington of Sir Stafford Northcote, who is understood to be th English member of the commission to authorized by the treaty. sealing is so far advanced that this is also an additional reason why the matter should be disposed of at the earliest opportunity and it is probable that the disputed subject may be finally disposed of next week.

CRITICISE THE STATE COMMITTEE The Lowndes County Committee Pro-

vides for a Mass Meeting Valdosta, Ga., April 9.—(Special.).—The democratic executive committee met here today and passed the following resolutions

by a unanimous vote: "Resolved, 1. That following precedents and our plain duty, we call the usual mass meeting of the democrats of Lowndes county to be held in the courthouse at 12 m (sun time) on Saturday, the 6th day of June, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state convention and for the additional purpose of creating a new executive committee and to trareact such other business as may come before it. "Resolved, 2. That we condemn the action of the state committee in calling one convention only this year as being contrary to party usage without first submitting the question to the democrats of the state. In our opinion it is a usurpation which makes the committee greater than the party, the creature greater than the

the party, the creature greater than the creator, which is a menace to party har

When Traveling, Whether on pleasure bent, or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effect uslly on the kidneys, liver, and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches, and other firms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent and 31 bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Company only. For permanent use and benefit, one of those splendid introductory sets (limited to 200) of that Invaluable reference work, THE

AT ONCE A DICTIONARY AND AN ENCYCLOPÆDIA



WEIGHT ABOUT 40 POUNDS

\$1.25

Despei

SAVI

After

MONTHLY FOR ONE YEAR

Secures one of the 200 introductory sets. When these are gone the original subscription price will prevail. . . .

These are the wise and fortunate ones who were quick to take advantage of THE AMERICAN NEWSPAPER SYNDICATE'S notable distribution of 200 sets of this great work in 200 cultured homes, for comparison there with other dictionaries and encyclopædias, which comparison The Syndicate earn-

To those who, through hesitation or delay, have not thus far availed themselves of the rare opportunity afforded, it is announced that only a few sets now remain, and these will soon be allotted, for to secure a work of such exceptional importance and value—four superb volumes of nearly 5,000 illustrated pages, being once a Dictionary and Encyclopædia—is the literary event of a lifetime.

Therefore, to those who have not yet applied, the friendly admonition is given: DO NOT DELAY, for when the 200 introductory sets are alloted the original subscription price will prevail. The present opportunity

s absolutely unprecedented. OPEN EVENINGS

HOW EASY IT IS. BRING OR SEND THIS ORDER BLANK \$1.50 monthly, and in full sheep for \$2.00

THE AMERICAN NEWSPAPER SYNDICATE, 80 WHITEHALL STREET, ATLANTA, CA.

Enclosed find One Dollar, for which please send to my address, as given below, one complete set of the American Encyclopædic Dic- 31 is received, and you therefore have the use

equal monthly payments. Name

Occupation Residence

State here whether by express or freight. Ship by

The Constitution.

Bring or send \$1 to the American Newspaentire set of four superb volumes, bound in cloth, will be forwarded. The balance to be paid at the rate of \$1.25 monthly for 12 months The work will be supplied in half morocce for conthly, for the 12 months. The first payment in every case is only \$1. At the time of sending your first payment please designate the style of binding you desire, and indicate how you wish the volumes sent, as the charges must be paid by the purchaser. Remember, the entire set is sent you when the first payment of tionary, bound in ______binding. (We recom-mend the Half Morocco Binding.) I agree to pay the balance in 12. The Syndicate that the work will be thoroughoughly appreciated, highly valued, and cheerfully paid for, is clearly shown by sending out such a valuable set of books on an advance payment of only \$1. Everyone is invited to call and inspect the work, or sample pages will be sent on application. Anyone desiring to pay cash, may send \$14.00 for cloth, \$17.10 for half morocco, and \$22.50 for full sheep binding.

The American Newspaper Syndicate, 80 Whitehall Street, Atlanta, Ga.

YOWS SOON BROKEN

Mrs. Smith Says Her Husband Made Her Life Miserable.

BRYANT FOUND TO BE INSANE

Mrs. Hunt Was Granted a Total Divorce from Her Husband in the Superior Court Yesterday.

Through her attorneys, Barker & Barge, Mrs. Ella N. Smith has filed a suit for a divorce against her husband, William L W. Smith.

The petition was filed yesterday in the office of the clerk of the superior court and the wife asks for a total divorce. The petition shows that she was married on August 24,. 1892, but they separated in the early part of last fall.

Mrs. Smith says she was perfectly happy in her married life and did all she could to make the surroundings as pleasant as posmake the surroundings as pleasant as pos-sible. During the period in which she and her husband lived together as man and wife she performed all the duties of an affection-ate and obedient helpmeet. For a consid-erable time after the marriage Mrs. Smith says her husband was gentle, affectionate and kind and treated her as a 'oving husband should. After the honeymoon had well worn off she alleges that his disposition and manner was reversed, and her life was charged from one of happiness to one of the most abject misery.

The petition claims that her busband be-came sour, crabbed, morose and spiteful, and the dream of happiness soon faded away. The wife claims that this treatment away. The wife claims and conduct of her husband was without sufficient cause and she could not live with him, as he would frequently slap her face in his outbursts of anger. She now asks that the court give her a otal divorce. The petition will probably b

heard at the next term of the superior court and final action will be taken. His Love Grew Cold. Mrs. Willie L. Hunt was given a total divorce yesterday morning in the superior court from her husband, John P. Hunt.

The grounds upon which the divorce was granted were that she had been neglected and treated with indifference and because

her husband had failed to provide for her as he should have done, in the opinion of the jury.

The petition stated that the husband was totally indifferent to his wife and failed to provide food and clothing in some in-

Sam Bryant was tried before Ordinary Calhoun yesterday on a writ of lunacy and the verdict of the jury was that the young man was insane. Bryant is a young white man who lives

Found To Be Insane.

at East Point, and it was claimed that he was suffering from insanity, as his actions and manner were not as they should be Several testified that they were afraid of the young man, as he had showed violence the young man, as no have at times.

The jury was out but a few minutes when a verdict of insanity was returned. Bryant will be carried to the state asylum this afternoon, as Ordinary Calhoun was informed yesterday that he could be accommodated at once. He will be carried down by Mr. Suttles, who has known the unfortunate boy a long time and can control him in his most violent, moods. THE DEATH ROLL.

Joseph T. Steele. Albany, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—At 5:20 o'clock this evening Albany lost one of its most highly esteemed and substantial

citizens in the person of Joseph T. Steel, who died after a lingering illness with who died after a lingering illness with organic heart disease. Mr. Steele was a native of Virginia but had been a citizen of Georgia for forty years. He was in the service of the Savannah, Florida and Western railway for twenty-five years, and was esfeemed one of its most trusted employes. Eight years ago he left the service of that corporation, going into business for himself, which he made successful. He was sixty-six years of age. His wife and three children-Mrs. W. R. Mc-Intosh, of Waycross; Mrs. S. Weldon, of this city, and Mr. H. H. Steel, of Americus—survive him. His remains will be interred here tomorrow.

Mr. W. H. Gibbs. Mr. W. H. Gibbs.

Lithonia, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—One of the saddest deaths recorded in Lithonia for some time is that of Mr. H. W. Gibbs, who died at 8 o'clock this morning. Mr. Gibbs had been sick for about six months, suffering from catarrh of the stomach. He had scores of friends all over the state who will be grieved to learn of his death.

Mr. Gibbs was the proprietor of the oldest drug store here and by his strict attention to business and untiring disposition he built up for himself a magnificent business. He was a brother of Mr. Isham F. Gibbs, of the Gibbs Drug Company, in Atlanta.

A GUILTY PAIR Is What the Officers of Spartanburg Think They Have.

funeral is to occur tomorrow at

Spartanburg, S. C., April 9.—(Special.)— Edward Huskey and Mrs. Cole were arested here today, charged with the murder of Mr. Cole, the woman's husband. The prisoners are both prominent and the arrest causes great excitment in this sec-

TENNESSEE OIL WELLS. Interest Purchased in Them by Mich-

igan People.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 9.—(Special.)—one-th.rd interest in the leases controlled in the Tennessee oil fields, including the Stone Nos. 2 and 3 and Lacy wells, by Miss Stone, of Brooklyn, N. Y., have been sold to Thomas Percy and Frank Filer, of Luddington, Mich., for \$30,000 cash, the sale having been consummated today. The purchasers will put twenty rigs in the field at once. A pipe line has been surveyed to tankage, which will be erect-ed on the field. Parties are now on the ground to connect the several wells and adjoining towns by telephone. Leases are now being taken at \$1 to \$10 per acre in the vicinity of the Bob's Bar well. Three mammoth tanks have already been shipped to the field and the greatest excitement prevails in the region today.

Fifty Colonists Reach Elwood Park. Wayeross, Ga., April 9.-(Special.)-Glen nore received fifty colonists last night from Ohio to the Elwood park colony. The excursion reached Glenmore about 5 p. m. over the Plant system's Montgomery line. Mr. G. W. Shults and Rev. J. M. Stiger welcomed the colonists and secured homes for them for the night. Mr. Shults nomes for them for the night. Mr. Shults is the organizer and superintendent of the colony. He owns Elwood park and has control of about 25,00 acres of land around Glenmore. The colonists are farmers of good appearance. They have some means. Glenmore is on the Alabama Midland line of the Plant system about ten miles west of Waycross. Elwood park is this side of Glenmore and eight miles from this city.

NORTH CAROLINA EDITORS

> Will Meet in Wilmington This Year. Snow at Raleigh, Etc. Raleigh, N. C., April 9.-(Special.)-The executive committee of the North Carolina Press Association met here this afternoon and accepted the invitation of Wilming-ton's chamber of commerce to hold the next press convention in that city. The

> date is July 15th. The state democratic executive commiting. It has fifty-seven members. A canvass of these made by a silver man today showed that fourteen were for

money. There was a little snowfall here today But for cloudiness there would have been a severe frost this morning. Yesterday there was frost all over the state and snow fell in twenty miles of Wilmington. Cyrus Thompson, populist contestant for the seat in congress for the third district, is here and says that if the republicans take the populist silver pledge there is no doubt of fusion along the whole line and that all disputes as to which party shall name the governor can easily be settled. He asserts that there is a keen desire for populist and republican harmony in North Carolina.

The Wilmington cotton mill is being equipped with new machinery.

Dr. A. B. Meares, one of the most prominent physicians of the Pledmont section, is dead at Linwood, aged seventy-three. the seat in congress for the third district

three. Rev. A. C. Dixon, of Brooklyn, is holding a revival here and so great are the audia revival here and so great are the audi-ences that he conducts services in the city hall.

MRS. MOON WILL DIE.

She Makes a Statement Charging Mrs. Sanford with the Assault. Powder Springs, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)— Mrs. Amanda Moon, whose throat was cut

Monday night, cannot live more than a Since the fatal wounds were inflicted there has been an apparent mystery hang-ing over the affair, but it is now clearing

Mrs. Moon has been informed by the physicians that she cannot recover and has before a justice of the peace made a statement, believing that it is her last opportunity to talk. In that statement Mrs. Moon asserts that Mrs. Sanford handled the knife which made the wounds that are

liable to prove fatal. If Mrs. Moon's statement be correctand it is generally believed—there is little doubt as to the cause of the trouble. It is said that Mrs. Sanford separated from he husband not long ago on account of her conduct. At the time the separation oc-curred she was living with her husband near Mr. Moon's, on one of the farms belonging to Mr. Moon's father.

Changed the Plan.

Raleigh, N. C., April 9.—(Special.)—The democratic state committee tonight so democratic state committee tonight so changed the party's plan of organization as to give minority representation in all donventions beginning in three of the townships. This is an innovation. The last state convention directed the commit-tee to make this change. The committee also made the precinct the unit of organization instead of the township.

There was a movement to have the convention meet at some place other than Raicigh, and Greensboro and Charlotte were named, but the vote stood: Raleigh, 31; Greensboro, 9; Charlotte, 8. A motion to make the day May 20th was voted down, and June 25th was fixed as the time.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. Twenty-five cents. of an There men be on Georg dining the color of the local trave Fost in no of ha local trave Fost in the Color of the Color

Colusecond division sociation and timere will be of coursely constituted by the constituted by the special interest of the spe

NERVY FIREBUGS

Desperate Attempts To Burn Several Large Buildings.

SAVANNAH HAS HER TROUBLES

After Breaking a Window Right on the Sidewalk.

PHE CRAWLS THROUGH THE OPENING

And Puts a Match to a Pile of Paper in a Lard Can-The Postoffice Threatened.

Savannah, Ga., April 9.-The police and city authorities are baffled today by the discovery of attempts last night to burn Whitfield building, in which the Savannah postoffice is located, and the Schwarz building, one of the finest business buildings in the city.

The attempt to burn the Schwarz building was made during the night.

The building is occupied by the Hoyle Grocery Company and by the Ludden & Bates music house. A paine of glass was broken out of the

front door of the grocery store, through which the incendiary crawled. He then filled a lard barrel with paper, ignited it and crawled out through the broken

The fire was smothered int he barrel, but burned sufficiently to leave unmistakable proof of the incendiary attempt.

Early this morning a fire was discovered on the second floor of the postoffice Luilding, close to the postmaster's private office, A pile of paper and combustibles had been ignited in a hallway. The fire was extinguished with comparatively little damage. These incendiary attempts following the burning of the Savannah Grocery Company's building Tuesday morning and the discovery that the building had been fired discovery that the building had been fired n almost the same way as the Schwarz ding, by breaking a pane of glass and admitting the firebug, who started the fire in the lard room, have caused much ap-prehension. The police are working every clew, but so far have nothing that is tangible to work upon.

DRUMMERS IN CONVENTION.

Second Annual Convention of Travel-

ers' Protective Association. Columbus, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—The econd annual convention of the state ivision of the Travelers' Protective Association convenes in Columbus tomorrow, and the session promises to be a highly interesting one indeed. The convention will be a highly important one, and though, of course, the gathering will have delightful pleasure features, yet the drummers will expend a good portion of the time attending to the business matters that will come up for consideration. In this connection it would not be inappropriate to state that at the next session of the leg-islature some legislation for the benefit of the drummers will brobably be effected.

The Atlanta delegation will arrive in a special car at 10:15 o'clock tomorrow morning, and the Macon, Savannah and Augusta delegations will reach here at 11 o'clock. There will be sixteen delegates from Atlanta, and ten each from Macon, Sanah and Augusta. Columbus is entitled to eleven delegates to the convention.

The convention will be called to order at noon tomorrow at the Rankin house, which the Travelers' Protective Association will make their headquarters during their stay in the city. There will be another business session that night and one Saturday morn-

aturday afternoon the visitors will be driven over the city, the most noted points being visited. That night the grand climax of the affair takes place in the shape of an elegant hanquet at the Rankin ho There will be toasts and responses by many men of prominence, and the occasion will

men of prominence, and the occasion will be one which will be long remembered by Georgia's Sir Knights of the Grip. The dining room will probably be decorated with the Travelers' Protective Association's colors, and Mine Host Duy will surpass himself with an elegant menu, indicative of the hospitality of the Rankin bouse and Columbus.

Post C. has long been preparing for this occasion, and when the drummers of Georgia swoop down upon the city they will in no wise be disappointed in the matter of having a good time. The officers of the local post are the following well-known traveling men: C. G. Johnson, president; E. T. Carter, first vice president; Max Banner, second vice president, and George Burrus, secretary and treasurer. Colonel Johnson is also vice president of the state division.

A Brilliant Entertainment.

A Brilliant Entertainment.

One of the most delightful amateur affairs in the history of Columbus was presented at Springer opera house tonight. It was a "Shakespearean Carnival," presented by local talent for the benefit of the Columbus Public library, and the large and enthusiastic audience present greatly enjoyed it. There were many scenes and tableaux from Shakespeare's best plays, and to the admirers of the great poet present, the occasion was a literary feast, indeed. The entertainment was exceedingly high-toned in its nature. The best local talent participated in the affair, and the acting was artistic to a high degree. The costumes were unusually and elegantly beautiful. The programme was one succession of delightful features, which were greatly enjoyed by all.

A Conference Yesterday.

A Conference Yesterday.

A Conference Yesterday.

Columbus, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—There was to have been a conference today between a committee from the strikers and the directors of the Eagle and Phenix mill, but as there was no quorum of directors present, their meeting and consequently the conference was postponed. The directors will meet in a day or two, however, at which time the strikers will lay before them their grievances. The fact that matters are assuming this kind of shape is taken as a hopeful sign.

Otherwise the situation remains unchanged. The departure of 100 of the operatives yesterday does not affect the mills, as labor can easily be obtained from other places in case there are not enough operatives already here.

Newsy Notes.

Mr. J. C. Strouthers, who will manage

Mr. J. C. Strouthers, who will manage the local baseball club has a national reputation. Last year he managed Detroit's team, and this year he resigned the management of the Birmingham team to accept the Columbus franchise. Besides being an up-to-date baseballist, he is a very elever gentleman. clever gentleman.
The season opens on the 16th with Atlan-



"MOTKERS"

Shortens labor, lessens pain, diminishes danger to life of both mother and child and leaves her in condition more favorable to speedy recovery. Stronger after than before confinement" says a prominent midwife. Is the best remedy

FOR RISING BREAST

Known and worth the price for that alone indorsed and recommended by midwives and

Makes Child-Birth Easy,

Sent by Express or mail on receipt of price \$1.00 per bottle. Book "TO MOTHERS' mailed free, containing voluntary testimonials. BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., ATLANTA, GA. ta at Columbus, and hundreds of local fans will go out to the grounds each day, so strongly has interest in the series been aroused. Many visitors from the neighboring towns are expected to be present, and the occasion will be a gala one.

It is thought that the business complications which have compelled the closing of Columbus's public building may be settled this week, and work on the structure resumed soon. Among the visitors to the city brought here by the temporary closing of the building are Attorney W. B. Fleming, chief of the law and record division of the treasury department; Governor Inspector E. F. Roberts, and several representatives of northern firms.

Columbus fans are jubilant over the prospect for elague ball this summer. The city has been so long without good, genuine ball that the opening games of the season are looked forward to with great eagerness by all.

AT DAHLONEGA.

Commencement at the North Georgia

Agricultural College. Dahlonega, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—The weaty-fourth annual commencement of he North Georgia Agricultural college, at Dahlonega, will take place on June 14th, Rev. W. G. Woodbridge, of Griffin, will preach the commencement sermon, and Hor. H. W. J. Ham, of Gainesville, will deliver the address to the literary societies The commencement orator has not yet been

The following is the list of students who have obtained speakers' places at the com-mencement, except the speakers from the junior and senior classes:

From the sophomore class the speakers are, from class standing, Miss Noona Ware, Lee county, Georgia: C. W. Bell, Leon county, Florida, and Miss Hattle C. Radgers, Emanuel county, Georgia. From dec-lamation, Miss Mattle Gurley, Union county, Georgia; R. L. Harrell, Lowndes county, Georgia; Ware G. Martin, Lee county, Georgia. From the freshman class: By class

standing, Eugene Revise, Georgia; M. M. Phillips, Cherokee county; Miss Blanche Cook, Dahlonega, Ga. By declamation, Fred S. Price, Dahlonega, Ga.; Miss Ethel Harris, Dahlonega, Ga.; W. W. Collins,

Harris, Dahlonega, Ga.; W. W. Collins, Macon, Ga.
From the subfreshman class: By class standing, G. A. Adams, Georgia; G. T. Gaun, Cobb county, Georgia: M. L. Seabolt, Lumpkin county, Georgia. By declamation, Miss Zaro La Prade, Habersham county, Ga.; L. N. Shehan, Georgia; J. Schiller, Augusta, Ga.
From subfreshman B class: By class standing, Miss Blanche Gurley, Dahlonega, Ga. By declamation, Charles N. Jones, Dahlonega, Ga.

Ga. By declamation, Charles N. Jones, Dahlonega, Ga.

The coming commencement promises to be one of the most successful in the history of this useful institution and the faculty and board of trustees are highly pleased with the year's work, the honors, etc., and the speakers from the junior and senior classes will be announced in a few days.

A WHITE COUNTY BONANZA.

A Quartz Vein That Gives \$400 a

Ton. Cleveland, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—For some weeks back a good deal of excitement has been prevalent in mining circles in this county on account of the discovery of a small but very rich gold quartz vein in the Martin mines, about half a mile from Nichols bridge, on the Nacoochee This excitement increased in intensity when last Saturday, at the fiftylevel, the vein was found to widen out and increase in richness. Seven pan-fuls of the loose bindings from the side of the vein were panned out by John Thur-mond, the overseer, and the result was a pennyweight to the pan. The previous evening Ed Black, in charge of the panned eighteen grains from one panful.

A mortar and pestle test proved the quartz to be even richer. Nothing like it has ever been found in the county nor probably in the state and the feeling of satisfaction among miners generally is very strong. Mr. Martin is being congratulated all around, and as the old adage has it, "luck is a fortune itself." The quartz is uniformly rich, and the vein deposit has every appearance of continuity, being perpendicular and cutting through other veins in true fissure style. The very being perpendicular and cutting through other veins in true fissure style. The very rich streak is ten inches in width, but the pay streak is two feet. The news leaking out has already brought several inquiries from outsiders, and the find will no doubt give a strong impetus to mining ventures throughout the district. Samples of the quartz taken from the shaft are quite honeycombed with gold, but the pannings were made from samples which showed no visible fold. There are no traces of sulphurets. John Thurmond is the proudest man in White county this week.

THINK IT WAS LEATS'S BODY.

That Was Found in the River Near

Anniston, Ala. Chipley, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—There is considerable excitement here over the special of the 5th instant from Chattanooga, Tenn., as regards the finding of the bodies of a white man and a negro in the Ten nessee river, near Langston, Ala. J. W. Leats, a young man from this place, was last heard from at Scottsboro, Ala., on the 28th of March and on account of not receiving the usual letters from him his widowed mother and friends are in great suspense and any information as regards him or his whereabouts would be gratefully appreciated by his distressed mother, Mrs. Mattle Leats. He is about twentyone years old, five feet ten inches, of light complexion and of a serious disposition, quick in his speech and movements. He wrote in his last letter that he was at work for J. R. McKirk, it is supposed of

CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH

Two Little Ones Perish in the Flames Near Rome.

Rome, Ga., April 9.-(Special.)-At Crystal Springs, seven miles from here, yesterday evening, Robert Farrar's wife went away from home, leaving the two children, both quite young, by themselves. It is supposed that they were playing in the fire and set the building ablaze. The smoke attracted the attention of the neighbors. who rushed to the rescue, but were too The building and contents were destroyed with the two children, whose re-

THE ABANDONED BABY.

It Is Thought the Heartless Mother

Lives in Rome. Rome, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—The white child carried by Martha Holt, the negro woman, to Chattanooga seems to have belonged here. The Holt woman claimed to have been given the child on the train by a young, well-dressed white woman, but evidence has been developed showing that the child was carried to the Southern depot in a hack and that it had been given a heavy dose of some sort of opiate. The police are busy at work on the case and the child, a healthy boy two weeks old, is in Chattanooga in charge of the authorities there. Some sensational developments are

Enterprising Waycross Young Men. Waycross, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—A novement has been started among the young men of the city for the paving of the road to the Satilla river. The road is two and a half miles long. It will be paved with Florida phosphate rock. The city council will possibly be asked to let the chaingang do the paving. The road will be magnifient for driving and bicycling when it

Stabbed in the Neck.

Dahlonega, Ga., April 9 .- (Special.)-Last night while some women were selling out a few jugs of blockade whisky in the eastern uburbs of the city Harve Anderson, coiored, and Jack Townsend, white, both drunk, engaged in a difficulty in which Anderson was badly stabbed in the neck with a knife. Rumor has it that Townsend also received a slight cut in the face, but the truth of the last statement is not

Be . Inaugurated

PROHIBITIONISTS THE

Circulars Said To Have Been Distributed-Getting Up a Large Petition for the Legislature.

Macon, Ga., April 9 .- (Special.)-There are signs in Macon and elsewhere in the state that the friends of the Bush or antibarroom bill are inaugurating an active campaign in behalf of the passage of the measure at the next session of the legislature. The advocates of the measure are organizing and they propose to make the Bush bill an issue in nearly every county in the state and try to elect senators and representatives to the legislature who will vote for the measure. They intend to raise \$1,000 by June 1st for the purpose of printing and circulating literature. They propose to sow Georgia with temperance facts. Considerable money has already been subscribed in Macon for the purpose. It is understood that the temperance of prohibition association has recently distfibuted 40,000 circulars in the state and has a large quantity of other matter to send out at an early day.

The advocates of this cause point with satisfaction to the fact that a petition with 70,000 names in favor of the Bush bill was presented to the last legislature, but they say that even a larger petition will be presented to the next legislature. They further point to the fact that in the last house seventy votes were cast in favor of the Bush bill and sixty-eight against it. That the measure lacked only thirteen votes of becoming a law, and there were thirty-eight members who were absent or did not vote.

Central Engineers Relieved.

Wadley, a station between Macon and Savannah on the Central railroad, has ceased to be a terminal point and there-by hangs a tale. Wadley is 107 miles rom Savannah and eighty-five miles from Macon. Until a few days ago Wadley was Macon. Until a few days ago Wadley was a freight terminal point. That is, freight engineers from Macon and Savannah only ran as far as Wadley and did not go through to Savannah or Macon. This was owing to the long run from Macon to Savannah of 192 miles. Until a short time ago the Central's engineers worked under the law of the state which says a road cannot force its engineers to work over thirteen hours a day. Lately the Central adopted the mileage system, that is, pay an engineer so much per, mile for

road cannot force its engineers over thirteen hours a day, Lately the Central adopted the mileage system, that is, pay an engineer so much per mile for each mile actually run. Soon after the Central went into the hands of a receiver the management sought to discontinue Wadley as a terminal. The engineers applied to Judge Speer, of the United States court, for protection and he ordered the continuance of Wadley as a terminal. When the Central adopted the mileage system the Central adopted the mileage system the Central naid engineers running from Macon to Wadley for 100 miles, whereas the actual distance was only eighty-five miles.

Recently General Superintendent Kline submitted the proposition to the engineers whether or not Wadley shall be discontinued as a terminal and freight engineers run from Macon to Savannah and vice versa and thus each engineer make a mileage of 192 miles on each run, instead of simply a mileage of 107 miles for the engineers who ran from Savannah to Wadley, and a mileage of 100 miles for the engineers who ran from Macon to Wadley. The different divisions of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers on the line affected voted favorably on the proposition to discontinue wadley as a terminal, and the discontinuance has now gone into operation, but the effect has been different than the engineers expected. It has brought about the dismissal of ten engineers from the service of the Central, as the number of engineers has been decreased and hostlers at Wadley and other help usual at terminal points have been discontinued. discontinued.

The Central also makes a big saving

per year in mileage, as it will now not have to pay for the extra fifteen miles al-Macon to Wadley. The ten engineers were emoved according to seniority.

It is said that four of the ten have btained resitions on the Sam read.

Grand Master Shannon. Grand Master John P. Shannon, grand lodge of Free and Accepted Mason in Georgia, arrived in the city last night from an important Masonic visit to Birmingham. He attended the meeting of the grand lodge of Knights of Honor last night. He spent the day in Macon on Masonic business, and left this afternoon for Atlanta. In speaking of Masonic affairs today he said that Masonry in Georgia is in splendid condition and that the growth and prosperity of the order are highly gratifying. He says that a fine class of men are uniting with the Masons throughout the state. The administration of Grand Master Shannon has been zealous, poular and emi-Georgia, arrived in the city last hight on has been zealous, poular and emi-successful. The grand lodge i nently successful. The gran flourishing under his guidance.

Newsy Notes.

In the city court today the following were convicted of larceny and sentenced: Minnie Morris, six months on the chaingang; Miles Howard, twelve months on chaingang and three months in jail, or fine of \$100; Lige Battle, twelve months on chaingang or \$100; Phillis Lawson, six months on chaingang

Mrs. C. B. Willingham and Miss Bertha Mrs. C. B. Willingham and Miss Bertha Willingham gave an elegant reception this afternoon in honor of Mrs. Tillman, of Philadelphia, and Miss Cabaniss, of Atlanta. It was one of the most brilliant and enjoyable entertainments ever given in

Mrs. R. E. Park entertained delightfully MIS. K. E. PARK entertained delightfully
this afternoon. She is an ideal hostess.
Judge Hampton McWhorter, of Oglethorpe, passed through Macon this morning
en route down the Georg'a Southern and
Florida road. Judge McWhorter says he
is out of politics roar and describe. Florida road. Judge McWhorter says he is out of politics now, and devoting himself exclusively to the practice of law. He is one of the ablest lawyers and most popular men in the state. In Macon, as elsewhere, he has a host of friends.

Central City lodge, Knights of Pythias, has decided to go in a special car to Dublin on the 23d, to return the social visit that the Dublin lodge recently made to the Central City lodge. A large number of Macon knights will go to Dublin and they expect to have a delightful time. The Dublin knights are noted for courtesy and hospitality.

knights are noted for courtesy and hospitality.

The "living whist" dance for the benefit of the Macon public library will be given at the Academy of Music on next Wednesday and Thursday nights.

A matinee of "A Modern Ananias" will be given on Saturday afternoon at the Academy of Music.

The pupils of Professor West's dancing school will have a brilliant soirce or matinee on Friday night at the Hussar's armory.

mory.

The funeral services of Mr. Reid Lumsden will occur tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock The funeral services of Mr. Reid Lumsden will occur tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock from the residence of his aurt, Mrs. Griffin, in Vineville. He was the son of Mr. Bush Lumsden, and was highly respected by all who knew him. He was thirty years old, and died last night from consumption.

Mr. J. Randolph Cooper, the eloquent and successful criminal advocate. left this afternoon for conyers, where he will be an attorney in an important criminal case.

TOOK TO THE SWAMP. Escape of Two Convicts from the Lau-

rens County Gang. Valdesta, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—Two
of the county convicts escaped this morning by breaking off from the guard and disappearing in the swamp two miles from town, where they were working the public roads. There were only four convicts on

roads. There were only four convicts on the gang and when they struck off yesterday evening they hid their tools in the bushes by the swamp. This morning as they started to get their tools, instead of doing so they darted in the swamp and made their escape.

A posse with dogs has been after them all day, but the Ihick growth of the swamp made progress impossible. Both of the fugitives are in shackles.

Geechee Charley, a notorious negro murderer and desperado from Florida, was arrested here last night and is now in jail waiting for the Florida officials to come

FOR THE BUSH BILL

for him. He is wanted in Brooksville and other places for murder. A reward is out for his arrest, but the amount is not yet known here. Geechee Charley has been at large two years and during the time has been working for the camps, turpentine farms, etc. He confesses to his name, but not the crime.

BAPTISTS AND "BOOZE."

MEMBERS WHO DRINK WILL BE CUT OFF FROM FELLOWSHIP.

Bush Bill Was Indorsed by the Baptist State Convention-Last Day's Proceedings.

Cedartown, Ga., April 9 .- (Special.)-The convention closed at 5 o'clock. The day was devoted to the various committees' reports and a full discussion was had on all subjects.

The temperance report provoked much tark and was the feature of today's session. It was couched in strong language and recommended the withdrawal of fellowship by all Baptist churches in Georgia from all members who drank whisky as a beverage. It indorsed the Bush bill in its effort to suppress barrooms and pledged Georgia Baptists to vote against any candidates for office who favored the perpetuation of the barroom system in this state. Dr. Gambrell, Dr. Gibson and others spoke heartily in favor of the report.

Thirty-one trustees of Mercer university were elected on the first ballot, Some of the best and oldest, in point of service, were dropped and their places supplied with younger blood. The new board stands: T. P. Bell, H. R. Bernard, James R. Brown, Lansing Burrows, J. W. Cabaniss, B. M. Calloway, E. B. Carroll, J. D. Chapman, W. F. Clarke, W. H. Cooper, A. D. Freeman, J. G. Gibson, J. L. Gross, Ed Hugnenin, S. Y. Jameson, P. A. Jessup, J. H. Kilpatrick, W. L. Kilpatrick, F. M. Longley, E. Y. Mallory, A. A. Marshall, J. G. McCall, H. McDonald, W. J. Northen, T. W. O'Kelly, B. D. Page. T. P. Bell, H. R. Bernard, James R. J. Northen, T. W. O'Kelly, B. D. Ragsdale, J. C. Solomor, J. D. Stetson, A. B Vaughn, C. B. Willingham and B. L. Willingham.

SUMTER'S FINANCES.

Treasurer Makes His Report-Items from Americus.

Americus, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—Americus will send a large delegation to Albany, omorrow. A special train has been secured for the occasion and it is expected that four or five hundred of Judge Crisp's friends in this city will go down to hear

his masterly defense of democratic prin-ciples and bimetallism, The report of County Treasurer Sullivan, for the first quarter ending April 1st, shows the finances of Sumter to be in a healthy condition. This report shows a cash balance of \$8,110 in the treasury, and this after paying the heavy expenses of a lengthy session of the superior court. The tax rate is less than 1 per cent per year, the condition of affairs being attributable to the excellent management of the board of county commissioners

to the excellent management of the board of county commissioners.

At the monthly meeting of the board of police commissioners yesterday, Mr. J. E. Blvins was elected a member in place of Judge J. A. Hixon, who resigned recently to run for mayor of the city. Mr. Bivins was formerly of the aldermanic board and will make an excellent commissioner.

Jesse Fudge, a negro carpenter employed at the Georgia and Alabama car shops here, was the victim of a painful accident yesterday. While several men were on the roof of a car one of them dropped a chisel to the ground, the sharp point striking Fudge on the head and penetrating to the skull. His injuries are quite serious though not necessarily fatal.

The recent wrick on the Georgia and though not necessarily fatal.

The recent wrick on the Georgia and Alabama has been cleared away, the burned trestle rebuilt and all schedules resumed. The heavy passenger engine that plunged through the burning bridge was holsted yesterday and brought to the shops here for repairs. The coaches, with the exception of one car, were so badly broken in the wreck that no effort was made to save them, and they were burned today for the iron in their framework.

floated MILL HANDS MOVING

The Operatives Are Going from Colum-

bus to Alabama City. Columbus, Ga., April 9 .- (Special.)-A dred former operatives of the Eagle and Phenix mills left yesterday for Ala-bama City, Ala., where they are promised employment at the new mill at that place Most of the number secured transportation from C. F. Foy, agent of the mill, who is here. Many of the crowd were women, and they seemed quite hopeful of their future and were eager to get to their

men, and they seemed quite hopeful of their future and were eager to get to their new home.

An immense crowd of several hundred friends gathered to see them off and the Columbus and Phenix City depots presented at unusually lively appearance. Another party will leave in a day or two. The agent of the mill wents 450 hands from this vicinity.

President Bigby stated yesterday that the departure of these, operatives would not affect the mills, as when the mills resume operation again, if there are not enough laborers here, help can easily be secured elsewhere. Tomorrow President Bigby and a committee from the strikers will hold another conference, and it is possible, if an amicroble adjustment is reached, that the mills may start up again Monday.

At the annual meeting yesterday of the stockholders of the Swift Manufacturing Company, Mr. G. M. Williams was reelected president and Mr. Sam Salisbury se vetary and treasurer.

In yesterday's issue of The Ledger appears the announcement for re-election of Judge J. F. Pou for county ordinary, Captain O. P. Pope for county treasurer and Mr. John C. Cook for county clerk. Captain T. J. Bates and Captain J. C. Reedy also formally announce for the office of sheriff. formally announce for the of

WAYCROSS WANTS LOW RATES.

The Water Commission Will Demand a Reduction of Insurance Rates. Waycross, Ga., April 9.-(Special.)-Way-cross now has as fine system of watercross now has as fine system of waterworks as any city in the state. The water is artesian and is obtained from two wells. One of the wells is 607 feet and the other 650 feet deep. The water commission will at one make a final effort to secure low rates of insurance from the Southeastern Tariff Association. Several efforts have been made by the commission during the last two or three years to secure these rates, and each time the association required the city to add something to the water facilities.

Business Change at Ellijay. Ellijay, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—The firm of Edward Logan & Co., of this place, has just been dissolved. Dr. E. W. Watkins sold his one-fourth interest in the business a few days ago to A. L. Logan and John F. Cobb. Jr., and last night Mr. D. M. Hyatt purchased the one-fourth in-terest owned by Mr. L. G. Edward.

Mr. Deen's Barrel Factory.

Mr. Deen's Barrel Factory.

Waycross, Ga., April 9.—G. W. Deen's barrel factory is being erected and in a few weeks will be in operation. Mr. Deen is a large manufacturer of naval stores and controls an interest in various turpentine firms in this section and in Florida. He will manufacture barrels for the use of all the firms in which he is interested, and besides he will make barrels for the trade. The industry will be gradually enlarged in its capacity. The plant is located at the Waycross Air-Line depot, on Albany avenue, and is convenient to all the railroads.

The Waveross Rifles' Picnic. Waycross, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—The Waycross Rifles will soon give a picnic fo Blue Springs, in Brooks county. Last year they picnicked at Suwanee Springs. The Rifles were prominent in ex-Governor Northen's "Waycross war," and they are entitled to a high rank among the best military companies of the state

Saved from Destruction. This is what happens when the kidneys are rescued from inactivity by Hostetter's Stomach bitters. If they continue inactive they are threatened with Bright's disease, diabetes or some other malady which works their destruction. Malarial, bilious and rheumatic ailments and dyspepsia are also conquered by the bitters, which is thorough and effective.



mmmmmmm IT WILL PAY YOU

TO RIDE A RAMBLER!

READ THIS

on a Rambler Bicycle with G. & J. tires. Some of us haven't the time of Dickens, others haven't the time of

\$200 in Gold to the rider making the best mileage on any make of wheel fitted a rainy day with G. & J. tires.

HERE ARE THEIR OFFERS UP TO DATE. No. 3..... 400 to some club. 200 as stated above.

For further particulars apply to LOWRY HARDWARE COMPANY, Rambler Agents. 60 PEACHTREE STREET.

TO VOTE FOR BONDS. Columbus To Raise Money To Meet

Expenses. Columbus, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—On August 16th an election will be held in Columbus to determine whether or not \$100,-000 of new bonds will be issued to meet certain necessary expenses, etc., that con-front the city just now. An ordinance to that effect was introduced at the meeting of the city council yesterday afternoon and read the first time. The following are the ways in which the money raised by the bond issue will be used: To meet onds maturing January 1st and October 1, 1896 and January 1 and October 1, 1897 \$60,700; to pay the city's pro rata share in the new courthouse expenses, \$26,000, and

to pay interest on the city's bonded debt for '96, \$13,300. One-thirtieth of the bonds will be taken up by the city every year, provided the people decide upon the issue, and it is very probable that they will do so. At the beginning of the year the finance committee of the council was confronted with a problem—a certain necessary sum of noney was to be raised. Of the two alterf bonds, the committee chose the latter ar) in doing so seem to have struck a popular chord. The new issue of bonds, bearing a 4½ per cent rate of interest, are to take up much higher rate bonds. The advantage in this respect is very obvious. The council has received every assurance from local bankers that the bonds can be

The Political Situation. This is a big political year and as the time for elections draws nigh politics is all the talk on the streets of Columbus. Quite a number of candidates for legislative and county offices have already annound and there is a prospect for several teresting races. The candidates and their friends have already begun the work of canvassing and the interest in politics seems to have eclipsed everything else

almost.

There are two announced candidates for the state senate from this district, Colonel Walter J. Woodall and Hon. Herschell V. Hargett. Colonel Woodall is the popular editor of The Ledger and Mr. Hargett is a well-known lawyer of the city and the superintendent of East Highlands Sunday school.

a well-known lawyer of the city and the superintendent of East Highlands Sunday school.

For the lower house of the legislature there are two announced candidates. Captain John: D. Little, who served out the unexpired term of the late lamented Morgan McMichael, and Hon, Joseph E. Chapman. The name of Hon, R. S. Miller has also been mentioned in this connection, but he has never positively announced that he would be in the race.

One of the most interesting contests will be that between Hon. S. P. Gilbert and Hon, Charlton E. Battle for the office of solicitor general of the Chattahooche circuit. Captain Gilbert is the present solicitor general and Mr. Battle has represented Muscogee county in the lower house of the legislature two terms. Both gentlemen are very popular, politically and otherwise, and the race promises to be one of the most interesting of all.

For the office of sheriff of the county there will be four candidates, Mr. A. C. Rowles, the present incumbent; Mr. E. F. Roberts, Captain T. J. Bates and Captain J. C. Reedy.

Jir. Rowles is serving out the unexpired term of the late sheriff, the lamented J. G. Burrus. When the office was made vacant several months ago a large number of candidates announced, among whom were Messrs. Bates and Roberts. Strange to say, however, every opponent to Mr. Bowles, who had heretofore, served as denuty sheriff, came down, leaving the field to him. It has been sald for some time that those two gentlemen would oppose Mr. Bewles again this time, and it is now understood that they are in the race. Captain Reedy, the other candidate, recently resigned the office of jailer of the county, as told in The Constitution.

Another highly interesting race will be the contest between Judge J. H. Henderson and Mr. W. P. Hunt for the county tay receivership, an office the former now holds. The two gentlemer ran against each ciher on the preceding occasion and Judge Henderson won by only four votes. Both gentlemen are highly popular and the result of the contest will be awaited with

nterest by every one.

SOUTHERN EXCHANGE MEETING Will Discuss the Baling of Cotton. News of Augusta.

News of Augusta.

Augusta, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—On tomorrow, the 10th instant, there will be an important convention in this city of Southern cotton exchanges to discuss the unform baling of cotton. Delegates are expected from the principal cotton markets of the south.

On the 15th instant the Georgia Medical Association will assemble in convention here. Association will assemble in convention here.

News was received here yesterday of the burning of the Park avenue hotel, at Aiken, yesterday morning. It was one of the landmarks of the town. Loss, \$14,000; insurance, \$8,000.

Mrs. F. B. Henderson, of Aiken, one of the boarders, had a rarrow escape, being rescued through a second story window. Rucker Goodwin, nimeteen, and Miss Myra Baronowski, sixteen years of age, eleped over to Hamburg, S. C., and were married yesterday evening. The bride is a daughter of Engineer Frank Baronowski, of the Georgia railroad, and the groom is a young machinist in the company's shops.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria, When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

NELMS'S TICKET.

He Gives Out His Full Ticket in the Race for Sheriff,

NINE DEPUTIES ARE ON IT

Explains That He Can Serve the County Better with More Men-What He Has To Say.

Dr. John W. Nelms has announced his full ticket in the race for sheriff. As a result of a caucus yesterday morr ing the last name was added and the full list of those who will be associated with him was made out. A notable fact is the number of names. Nine deputies will make the race with him, the largest ticket for

sheriff ever put out in Fulton county.
Following is the full ticket: For Sheriff—John W. Nelms, A. J. Shropshire, L. P. Thomas, Josh Tye, Eugene Hardeman, Clark Tolbert, N. A. Chastain J. J. Fain, C. Q. Trimble and W. C. Mad-In making this announcement Dr. Nelms

says:
"I feel that a word of explanation is due to the people for the unusual number of gentlemen who appear as my deputies. This result comes of the fact of the liberality of the sheriff and his deputies to present three additional names for the consideration of the voters of Fulton county. For the reasons, first, that if elected we will be able to give to the people an efficient service; second, to be the means of helping three second, to be the means of helping three additional tax payers of this county and to further recognize the citizens of the coun-ty living out of the corporate limits of At-lanta.

ly living out of the corporate limits of Atlanta.

"In making the race I do so with the kindest feeling for every gentleman of the opposite ticket. I present to the voters of Fulton county what in my judgment is as equal a clever set of tax payers, who believe that they should be allowed to enjoy some of the emoluments arising from the sheriff's office. Should the people impose this confidence in us we promise to them out best efforts in discharging the trust without detriment to public weal."

The ticket put out by Dr. Nelms is strong and contains the names of some of the strongest policical men in the county. He has entered the race with unflagging energy.

No official announcement has vict has

No official announcement has yet been made by Mr. John Welch. It is the purpose of Mr. Welch to make the race, but his ticket has not yet been framed. In the meantime Sheriff Barnes and his cohorts are steadily at work. re steadily at work. The race will be heated.

For County Commissioner.

Mr. Joseph Thompson has announced himself as a candidate for re-election to the board of county commissioners from the north side.

Mr. Thompson has been a member of the board for two terms and has given me maters of the terms of the series of the board for two terms and has given the matters of the county close attention, and as he has inaugurated several imperventions which are under way, he wishes to remain in the board until they are completed.

Mr. C. A. Collier, at present the chairman of the board, will not be a cendidate for re-election, and Judge Rosser will run for the vacancy from the southside.

The terms of office of Messrs. Adair. Spalding and Brown do not expire at this time.

FORT AT PRESTON.

Addresses a Large Crowd at the Court-

house. Americus, Ga., April 9 .- (Special.)-Judge Allen Fort addressed a very large crowd at Preston, Webster county, yesterday. Court is in session there and at the noon recess he addressed the citizens at the courthouse, which was packed to its full capacity. He again declared himself in favor of free coinage, independently of international agreement, and this is really "sound money" as interpreted by the democratic voters of Georgia. Judge Fort democratic voters of Georgia. Judge Fort paid his respects to his competitors for congressional honors, Messrs. Lewis and Warren, and told the people that it was no fault of his they were not there to answer him. He also touched briefly, but strongly, upon all questions of interest to the people aside from the financial issue. His speech made a fine impression and his friends claim Webster county for the malmost solidly.

Smart Weed and Belladonna, combined with the other ingredients used in the best porous plasters, make Carter's S. W. & B. Backache Plasters the best in the market

HENRY'S STRANGE ACTIONS Caused His Arrest at Gibson Yester day.

Gibson, Ga., April 2.—(Special.)—Sheriff Braddy arrested on suspicion and brought to town this evening a white man, named T. A. Henry. The man is an agent for a firm which enlarges pictures, and says his home is in Savannah. He was seen late this evening walking very fast through the woods near this place and was muddy to the knees. The sheriff, with four other men, proceeded to arrest him. As soon as he saw them coming he ran very fast through a dense thicket, but was overtaken before getting far. He claim's that he will have a partner here tomorrow. He is fairly dressed and had on his person a considerable sum of money. It is believed that he is hadly wanted somewhere, as he can give no satisfactory rearon for his strang actions.

Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose Co.

Atlanta, Friday, April 10, 1896. United States Government Weather Bureau's Forecast for today: Fair and warmer.

The weather was all awry yesterday. There was a dearth of April sunshine; there was a dearth of ethereal mildness. Gentle Spring went astray, and all her blossomy paths were moist and adrip with the keen spray of Jupiter Pluvius and bleak with the chill of Boreas. A raw, G. & J.'s PRODIGALITY—In addition to the three liberal offers made last week by Gormully & Jeffrey Mfg Co., makers of the Rambler Bicycles, THEY NOW OFFER \$300 in Gold to the individual rider who shall have to his credit between April 1st and Dec. 1st, 1896, the greatest mileage on a Pambler Bicycle with G. & I tires. dark and unsympathetic day.

A rainy day is a rich day in so stores. We welcome them occ sionally. It is then that the trad tensions of the store relax a bit: the human machinery pauses a moment to gain strength and thought for greater and grander results. Yesterday was valuable to us in more ways than one.

Much business ebbed and flowed through the aisles. The Silk counters were flanked with earnest buyers; Hosierv sales received a merited impetus; Capes, Two-piece Suits and Separate Skirts shared equal interest with conservative customers who chose a "dull day" in which to shop because they knew the qualities, prices and varieties were the same and there'd be freedom from the elbowing, jostling and hurry of big crowds. Dress Goods, too, were generously recognized by those who came. Thus it was that while we had ample time in which to adjust and arrange and adorn the store for the approaching sunny days' business, its progress and volume, was not impeded or iessened.

Two-Piece Suits



Our stock is lavish with sorts that arc graceful and jaunty and fashionable. There's not a novelty that careful women take to that is missing from the grand round-up in our busy Suit department.

Smart and swell styles in Scotch Tweeds. French Checks. Serges and Cheviots. Novelty Melanges. Imported Plaids. Boucle Suitings,

\$5.50 to \$30.00

Every garment shows the skill and finish, Every garment shows the skill and finish, the accurate workmanship, combines the fit and feel that only men tailors are able to produce. Some have attempted to copy cur styles with very poor results. "Homemade" and "imitation" are stamped clearly in every fold. They lack the air, the indescribable distinctiveness, the characteristics and all the little touches of detail that give tone and taste and elegance to a costume. Come here and pay anywhere from \$5.50 to \$30 and secure perfection; go elsewhere and most probably you'll be burdened with a botch.

Separate The largest and fullect assortment of Women's Separate Skirts ever seen in a single southern store. Every one is absolutely faultlessly modeled. They are authentic and exact duplicates of the latest and best Parisian modes. All are full-gored, six yards wide, lined throughout and velveteen bound. They come in

Cheviots,
Brilliantine,
Mohair Novelties,
Diagonals,
Cranges Crepons, Etamines, & Brocaded Satin Duchesse, Satins with Gros Grain Figures,

\$2.75 to \$20.00 A single Skirt and several Shirt Waists will make you ready for the hot weather just ahead.

Women's It's a dainty and choice collection of Shirt Waists at the rockiest of rock-bottom prices that we invite Waists Lawns, Dimities, Percales, Batistes, Grass Cloth in all the springy and summery checks, stripes, figures and Persian effects. Every Waist is made right—Bishop sleeves and all. Prices begin at 73 cents. Don't you think home-sewing is an extravagance?

Spring Just as soon as the most artistic styles were shown in Paris, Capes Vienna and Berlin they were whisked here via Havre and New York. They are in Satin, Silk and Cloth. No use trying to describe the trimmings—jet, passamenterie, chiffon, iridescent beads and jewels, printed warp Persian, Servres, Dresden. Ombre and Nacro-Robons. Cloth Capes 31.73 up to 325; Silk Capes 34.98 up to 356.

The Constitution.

PUBLISHED DAILY, SUNDAY, WEEKLY.

Daily (with Sunday) per year ... Daily (without Sunday) per year Sunday Edition (20 to 36 pages) Postage paid to any address At these reduced rates all substants be paid in advance. We do not undertake to return rejected and will not do so unless

Where To Find The Constitution. the Constitution can be found on at the following places: WASHINGTON-Metropolitan Hotel, JACKSONVILLE-H. Drew & Bro CINCINNATI-J. R. Hawley, 162 Vine St. NEW YORK-Brentano's, corner Broadway and Sixteenth Street. CHICAGO-P. O. News Company, 31 ams Street: Great Northern Hotel.

PENSACOLA, FLA,—Pensacola Dru

HOUSTON, TEX.-Bottler Bros. KANSAS CITY, MO.-Van Noy Bros.

Notice to Subscribers. Do not pay the carriers. We have regular edlectors in the city-Messrs. Charles H. Donnelly, R. L. Cannon and G. W. Tasker. The traveling representatives of The Constitution are Messrs. William M. Kersh, W. H. Overbey and L. B. Wilcox.

Watch Your Dates.

dates following the address of su ers indicate time to which paid. A!! ntly requested to watch this date, by the home office when errors

NICHOLS & HOLLIDAY, Constitution ing, sole advertising managers for all ory outside of Atlanta.

10 PAGES.

ATLANTA, GA., April 10, 1896.

How It Stands.

The following counties have ordered a democratic vote for United States senator on June 6th-the day fixed by the state committee for the selection of delegates to the state convention:

Madison.

Coweta.

Baldwin,

Putnam,

Rockdale.

Fulton. Floyd, Jackson, Spalding, Troup, Clay, Bulloch. Dooly. Habersham Newton Jasper, Gordon, Jefferson, Fayette,

Elbert. Carroll, Wilkes, Pike, Calhoun. Macon, Henry, May 2d. Webster. Terrell.

The following counties have had pri mary action ordered for June 6th for the election of delegates to the state con vention, but have taken no action re garding the senatorship:

Hall Banks.

The following counties have ordered a primary vote for senator at a later

Effingham.

Lowndes.

Monroe, October 7th. Clarke, date not yet fixed. action on the senatorship:

Muscogee, until May 2d, when the ex ecutive committee will reconvene.

DeKalb, until June 2d, when the county will act in selection of delegates to state convention by mass meeting, which may or may not act on senatorship.

These are the only counties which have acted, and the list presented is a correct expression of the counties which have spoken.

Judge Lawson's Complaint.

In the oninion of The Constitution, Judge Lawson does the democratic voters of his district an injustice. He says, or intimates, that he is or is about to be made the victim of unfair treatment and we do not believe there is a morratic voter in his district who had the rective or the desire to treat Judge Lawson unfairly.

Now, who is the victim of unfairness-Judge Lawson, who has changed his riews since he went to congress, or the democratic party of his district, which nominated and elected him on the free coinage platform put forth by the democratic party of Georgia?

We are of the opinion, also, that Judge Lawson does injustice to those whom he calls his opponents. 'n the first place there are no new issues involved in the contest, and his record as a member of congress for over five years is made and understood. He has defended it fully not only in numerous speeches in congress, but on former occasions throughout his district. The candidate's who are to submit their claims to the people and to the party have had nothing like the opportunity that Judge Lawson has had to-present their views on national questions before the voters of the district.

As to the complaint of unfair treatment. it may be said that he has had and now has abundant time and opportunity to speak in every county of the district before action is taken and it is his duty to take advantage of the opportunity. It will not do for him to sit quietly in Washington while the democratic party of his district is disposing of all matters preliminary to the campaign, and then go before the voters with the plea that snap judgment has been taken on him. Several of the counties in his distriet act on the congressional matter on

the 6th of June and others late in May. Judge Lawson, therefore, has abundant opportunity to go before the people and explain the wonderful change that has taken place in his finencial views. He was invited in March to eet his adversaries on the stump, but tee, whatever it did. declined on the ground that the na-

cago, declares for free coinage, he would not be a candidate because he could not defend that doctrine. Are the people of his district to put a stop to their preparations to elect a member of ongress until Judge Lawson discovers whether or not he can be a candidate? Judge Lawson says he cannot defend

the doctrine of free coinage. And yet he has defended it. He was an active member of the Farmers' Alliance when he first offered for the democratic nomination for congress, and he was an advocate of the free coinage of silver. More than that, he has voted for the free coinage of silver, and it is only lately that his constituents have discovered that he is a gold standardist.

Judge Lawson's home county-Put nam-has ordered an expression of the views of its democratic voters in regard to the free coinage of silver on the 6th of June, and the democrats of every county have a right to speak on this or any other question, free from all attempts to muzzle tuem. If the democrats of Putnam declare that they still adhere to the democratic doctrine of the free coinage of silver-as they surely will-what is Judge Lawson going to do about it? How can he offer to become a candidate even if we assume an impossibility and say that the national convention will declare for the gold

standard? The democrats of Georgia have a right to assume that democratic principles are unchangeable. And this is not an assumption, but a fact. No man can be democrat at bottom and believe in the republican doctrine of gold monometalism. The democratic voters of Georgia have been reared in the faith that the leigh restoration of silver as a part of the standard money of the country is a democratic principle, and every demoeratic national platform since the war has been proclaimed and interpreted in every safe democratic state as a declaration in favor of free coinage. This was so with the platform of 1892, and no one, not even Judge Lawson, has a right to assume that it will not be so

In fact, the probabilities are stronger now than they ever have been that the democratic party will make a clean clear-cut and unmistakable declaration in favor of the restoration of silver. The issue cannot be avoided, and it is inconceivable that the democratic party will undertake now a feat that has never been successfully performednamely, give the lie to its own record, accept the principles of another party and expect the people to indorse it at the polls.

Genuine democratic principles being in the nature of things unchangeable and immutable, the democrats of the warious counties have the right to act when they deem action to be proper and most convenient; and the voice of their respective executive committees, when not in conflict with the direct instructions of a higher authority in the system of party organization, is supreme.

If Judge Lawson proposes to be a candidate it is his duty to say so. The people of his district are presun know what they want, and they will no doubt be as glad to hear from him as from any other candidate. Several of the county executive committees of his district have ordered primaries on the congressional question, and if he is to be a candidate he should come home and lay his claims before his people in advance of the action of these counties. The time is ample and if he fails to take advantage of it, it will be his own fault.

On a Cold Trail.

Here is one of the scintillating gems in the crusade against the effort to have the people express their preference for United States senator at the ballot box. It is taken from vesterday afternoon's issue of the secretary of the interior's "official organ" and is as follows:

We have expressed doubt as to the wis dom of the early primaries a number o times. It seems especially unwise to mix a senatorial primary in June with the nomination of candidates for the legislature * * * It is practically certain that Governor Atkinson will be nominated. It more than probable that the present chair man of the democratic executive committee will be made a second time chairman, and that the burden of the fight in the state will largely fall upon Messrs. Atkinson an Would it not be well for members of local executive committees to communicat with one or both of these gentlemen and get their views upon this most important

The secretary's "official organ" is fluttering like a wounded bat. It is here, there and elsewhere, and, in trying to keep in harmony with the secretary's kaleidoscopic changes on the currency question, it makes itself very ridiculous. About two months ago when the people were urging the state committee to consolidate all primaries and to call but one instead of two conventions this year, the "official organ" was thrown into a state of hysterics at the suggestion. After much discussion The Constitution proposed that, as Governor Atkinson was certain to be renominated and would thus become the party's leader for this year's campaign, we would drop the consolidation of conventions if he was opposed to it, because we believed that his opinion should be received with due deference. The "official organ" immediately pounced upon the proposition and declared that Governor Atkinson had no more to do with the question under discussion than any other democrat in Georgia. It railed. and derided, and protested, and kicked, and finally Governor Atkinson put an end to its agony on that score by declaring that he would not interfere in the matter, being perfectly willing to abide by the action of the state commit-

Now, the "official organ," forgetting | the truth is a lie. Mence we have the

tional convention, which meets in Chi- its past record-and a fresh one, too, to forget-wants to leave the question of a senatorial primary to Governor Atkinson and Mr. Clay, the latter of whom it says "will be made, a second time, chairman," making him again the head of the party organization. We hope that this is true, for Georgia has not a more gallant fighter than Steve Clay, and there is not a man in the state who could do better service in the contest for democratic success this fall. -

As to whether or not the people shall have a right to vote on the senatorship. Governor Atkinson's home county, Coweta, was among the very first to order a vote for United States senator on the day of the state primary of June 6th. Mr. Clay's home county will do the same thing when its executive committee meets.

Neither Governor Atkinson nor Mr. Clay is interested in suppressing the voice of the people, and they cannot be made parties to any scheme that flavors of an effort to withhold from the democratic voters of the state the right to express their choice for senator.

Oh, no, Mr. Secretary, you misunderstand the men! Let them alone! Like the fox in the fable you have cut off your own political tail, but you cannot make others believe that it is fashionable for everybody to do likewise.

A Victim of Misfortune.

In the past generation General Thomas L. Clingman was one of the greatest men of North Carolina. He served his people in the state and national councils, and was a gallant confederate officer. Now, at the age of eighty-three, he is an applicant for admission into the Confederate Soldiers' Home at Ra

Speaking of this sad case, The Wilmington Messenger says:

He is by far the most distinguished citizen of all western Carolina-a scholar, a inker, an eminent statesman, a most faithful and gallant confederate officer, as brave as any man. He is a man of no little science, an alumnus of the university, a writer of addresses of most marked excellence. His octavo volume of speeches and addresses contains more of permanent interest and value than any volume ever published by a North Carolina politician. We are surprised to learn of his poverty. We had hoped he had ample resources to live in comfort to the end. He is now in his eighty-third year, we think. He filled a large space in the public eye in our state for thirty years-was in the United States senate, in the house and in the state legis-lature, and was a member of the constitutional convention in 1875. Colonel Newome, one of the great Thackeray's noblest reations, had to find a home at last that his country provided. No man in this uncertain life can have a guarantee that he will not close his eyes in the poorhouse or an asylum for the indigent. But it is very sad to turn out an old .. orse to perist. on It is distressing to see Thomas L. Clingman, whom we have the pleasure of knowing personally well, knock-ing at the home that the state has provided r its maimed and helpless scidiers. Can ich things be in a state that sent seme 26,000 men to the great war?

It is to be hoped that there is some mistake about this. Massachusetts and Kentucky frequently paid off the debts of Webster and Clay and took care of heir personal fortunes. General Cling- world. man deserves as much from his people, and it would speak very badly for their patriotism and generosity if they should allow him to go to the Soldiers' Home as a pauper. When a man gives his talents and time to the service of his peomore than two generations they are in honor bound to see that he does not suffer in his old age.

Developing Trade.

In Richmond a short time ago a number of the leading citizens came together to discuss the best methods of increasing the trade of the city. An association was organized, and it was decided that a series of cheap excursions would be profitable. Last Tuesday four big excursion trains

from the country districts reached Richmond packed and jammed. There was not a vacant seat or standing room on any train. The magnitude of the thing was not foreseen by the railway companies and extra cars were not provided n sufficient numbers. Hundreds of eople were left at the way stations because they could not get transportation. The experiment was so successful that the Richmond papers clamor for more excursions. They say that all of the excursionists purchased something and their visit made business brisk for the merchants. The tourists not only did a good deal of shopping, but they took in the sights of the city, and all day long the street cars were filled with bright and happy faced men, women and chil-

This intermingling of city and country people is of mutual advantage, socially, commercially and politically. The Richmond plan of developing trade should be tried by other large cities. It is a capital idea.

The Logical Candidate.

The New York World inquires, not Cleveland the logical candidate?" and then proceeds to discuss the question in an editorial article that runs smartly over a column and that is emphasized by the typographical device of double leads.

The conclusion The World comes to is that Mr. Cleveland is the logical candidate of the gold contractionists. The gold standard itself is so illogical and foreign in its application and results that it seems something else must be done to maintain it besides sacrificing the substance of the people in the shape of bond issues. We must not only submit to a ruinous contraction of the currency, but we must also set aside the unwritten law which has heretofore made a thrid term impossible for any

president. Politics, The World says, sometimes upsets traditions. This has not heretofore been the case to any serious extent in our own history, but if we are to maintain the single gold standard in our monetary system the people will have to fit themselves to the new and hither to impossible conditions which it im poses, not only in their business, but in

their politics. The gold standard is so important that all parties must surrender to it, and the people must be taught to believe that

spectacle of Mr. Joseph Pulitzer's newspaper arguing lustily in behalf of the third term and in favor of the dictatorship which a third term means.

This much is certain, however, that f the gold standard is to be maintained t involves Caesarism in this republic. No government short of a dictatorship would be strong enough to resist the demonstrations of the poverty-stricken people when they have come to feel the full effects of the gold standard. For these effects have just begun. We tell the people now as we told them in 1877, in 1880 and in 1893, that the gold standard means ruin. It means more than this, for, if it is made permanent in our system, it means a change in our form of government.

Consequently, we agree with The World that Mr. Cleveland is the logical candidate of the gold contractionists. Indeed, he is the only possible candidate of that faction. He is the only man on whom they can depend to turn a deaf ear to the demands of his own party and to the clamors of the people for relief, and carry out unflinchingly the programme of ruin which the money power has mapped out. But if The World is asking whether

Mr. Cleveland is the logical candidate of the democratic party, that is another matter. Though Caesarism and the gold standard go together, the demoeratic party is a stranger to both of them, and our contemporary may be sure that the voters of the party will indorse neither the one nor the other. The World says "the principle of sound money" is in "a supposed perilous position," and this means, of course, that the democratic principle of free coinage has not had its usual funeral lately. The gold contraction principle will be in a still more perilous position when the votes of the people are count-

A Great Southern Exposition.

ed next November.

The proposed southern cotton states exposition at Chicago will be a success Yesterday at a meeting in this city of rominent citizens of the state, including many of the mayors of various cities and towns, the Southern States Exposition Company was organized, and

it is now a settled fact that Georgia will make a splendid exhibit at Chicago. Ex-Senator Walsh presented the advantages of the exposition in an eloquent and convincing manner. From he very first he has been a strong advocate of the enterprise, and what he has said in its favor has produced a profound impression in Georgia and hroughout the south. Mr. Walsh is confident that the time is ripe for this movement. Chicago has offered to furnish the buildings and all the south has to do is to furnish the exhibits. The south is approaching the period when she will turn her cotton and other raw materials into finished products, and it is of the highest importance that she should cultivate closer relations with a great distributing center like Chicagoa city which, in the language of Governor Bullock, is the biggest bill board in the world. We must get our share of advertising on the bill board. Ad vertising has largely made the west, and the south can no longer afford to hide her resources from the outside

Governor Atkinson and Mayor King followed on the same line, and resolutions were adopted urging our counties producers, merchants, manufacturers and railways to aid the enterprise. The Southern States Exposition Company was then formally organized, with enthusiastic indorsement of all who

were present. This big show means a great deal for he south and for Georgia. It will enable us to repair the consequences of our neglect in not taking advantage of the world's fair, and it will attract the attention of millions who failed to visit the Atlanta exposition. If we pull together we can at comparatively a small expense make a display at Chicago which will attract enterprise and capital in this direction and make the south the greatest cotton manufacturing re-

gion in the world. Mr. Walsh deserves the thanks o every Georgian and every southerner for the active interest which he has taken in this matter. It is only simple justice to say that he has given his time and public spirited efforts to this movement which promises so much for the south, and it is mainly owing to his effective presentation of the advantages of the enterprise that Georgia and other southern states have taken hold of it so earnestly. We predict that the Southern States Cotton exposition at Chicago will be a splendid success, and that it will be of far more benefit to this section than was the world's fair.

Northern and Southern Cotton Mills. The Philadelphia Times admits that certain New England mills are allowing their low grade staple trade to drift into the southern states, but our contemporary makes the point that they are concentrating their attention upon a

higher quality of production. The Times thinks that the northern nills will now compete with Europe in the manufacture of muslins, cambrics plaids, ginghams and fancy classes of cotton goods. It says:

It is in building up this class of produc tion that he becomes indifferent to the old class print goods. He remembers the remark of the English factory owner, said that "the print cloth trade is the last refuge of the incapable manufacturer," and he is anxious to do better and higher class ork with the mills, machinery, material and operators at his command. And in doing this he can afford to get out of the narrow and cheap print cloth grove, and to leave this class of goods to the southern manufacturer who has not his advantages. The cost of freightage upon the raw ma terial is a heavy tax upon him, and if he can produce a higher valued and less bulky product from his machinery, he makes lear gain in this direction and secures higher return per spindle and lo his skill, experience and means he can do all this, and have no regrets about handing over the coarse print cloth and low-grade trade to the southerner, who, having hi material at hand, cheap and crude restrictions from ten-hour acts or ions, can manufacture cheaply and profchusetts manufacturer would have

cheap labor, unfreighted raw material and long working hours may succeed in the south, but not in places like Lawrence, Lowell or Fall River. These manufacturing centers will try to make a pound of high class cotton into fine fabrics worth three times as much per pound as print cloths, and they can do it just as well and as profitably as the foreign manufacturer has been able to do. Indeed, the whole question is not, is the south taking the cotton manufacturing trade of the north? but, is it not better that coarse production should go where the means of manufacture are only yet being learned, leaving the fine and valued production to that section which the best skilled means of grappling

with it? Similar explanations of the change in the cotton trade situation appear from time to time in the northern newspa pers, but The Boston Journal of Commerce takes the position that there is no limit to the progress of the cotton mill industry in the south. If we can successfully compete with the north in the production of the coarser grades of goods, it is natural to suppose that in the course of time our mills will extend their operations and aspire to something bêtter.

With our cheap raw material, satis factory labor and other advantages there is no reason why we should not manufacture the finest grades of cotton goods. It will not do to say that we lack the skilled labor. We can command it just as soon as it is understood that it can be profitably employed here and many New England manufacturers who have studied our conditions declare that our native white labor is all that could be desired.

Forty years ago our northern competitors said that we could not manufacture even the low grades of cotton goods in the south. Now they admit that we are doing it, but they assert that we cannot manufacture the finer grades. In the course of a few years this will be found to be a mistake. The south is bound to be the greatest cotton manufacturing region on the globe.

Mr. Tom Reed's friends say "he cannot be side tracked for the vice presidency." This is true. He won't have delegates enough even to do that business for him.

The vellow fever is helping the Cuban patriots to carry their flag.

The Allison boom has caught a spring cold.

Winter is dying very hard.

The Boston Transcript has an article on "Alice Meywell and New England Provincialism." Well, well! Does our contemporary mean provinciality? If so, why not say so?

nority in Texas to "rise up" and "crush out" the majority. This would be such a funny performance that we should like to see the attempt made.

The Galveston News wants the mi

Platt, like Quay, may turn out to be a candidate.

The secretary would do well to drop Chevalier from his list of authorities.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

The Raleigh News and Courier, one the leading dailies of North Carolina, de-votes a mammoth edition of forty pages to the chief industry of that state. Tobacco has long been the most prolif that abounds in North Carolina. Since the days of Sir Walter Raleigh the natives have been occupied in the cultivation of this plant and the prosperity of

the state is due in a large measure to this handsome source of revenue. The issue is styled the Easter Tobacco Edition and presents a handsome appear-The merchants of have taken liberal space in the advertising columns and the paper gives evidence of prosperous times in that state.

On the subject of tobacco in its various phases the edition is a library within

The Mail and Express contains this in teresting sketch of Du Maurier in a recent issue: "Du Maurier was born in France, lived in Belgium for a time, and, when still quite young, was taken to Lon-As a boy, says Tid-Bits, Du Maurier longed to become a musician, but, al-though he sings well, his voice has been ruined by excessive consumption of cigarettes. In spite of his inclination, George du Maurier was brought up by his parents with the idea of adopting science as profession. On the death of his father, y decided to follow art, how-One day, when drawing from a model, the girl's head suddenly appeared to shrink to the size of a walnut. clapped his hand over his left eye. had failed him. He was thunderstruck Notwithstanding the assurance of a doc tor that the affliction would pass, the eye-sight did not improve. Du Maurier lived in constant dread of blindness. This was most tragic event of his life. a time he once more moved to London From the outset success waited upon him His first drawings for Punch were not good, but they were accepted. in life he married, and has now two sons one in the army and the other on the

Caracas, Venezuela, has nine morning da lies and one afternoon paper. They are all very able papers, but the majority of the editors are in jail. Journalism in zuela is a very exciting business, and those who engage in it literally take their lives in their hands.

Mrs. Mary Lease will start on a tri around the world next year.

The April fool joker will not operate so extensively in Nashville, Kas., for som time. John Ahrens, a farmer, thought it would be funny to appear before his young wife in a mask. Accordingly he knocked at the door and when she opened it he orto get dinner for him. The wife took him for a dangerous tramp, fell to the floor in a faint and died within an hour. The couple had been married but a short time, and the tragedy has affected the husband's mind so seriously that he threatens

Mr. Mills, of Texas, thinks that a demo crat can be elected president on the plat-form of "free Cuba." That would be a very good plank in a platform, but it is hardly broad enough to make platform.

be sent to a man named Barkette. That is where most poetry goes Platt and Quay reached Jacksonville,

Prize poems for the Tennessee exp

Fla., on the same train and each claimed o be unconscious of the other's presence. the newspapers are about it.

The engagement of a prominent belle of a southern city was broken off under most ludicrous circumstances recently. She con-ceived the insane notion of affecting a lisp and made a fatal mistake of attempting o practice on her wealthy flance. Entering the parlor in a cloud of vera-violette or some such choice perfume, she gree'ed the young man with: "Don't I 'mell 'feet?" "Not mine," was the practical young fellow's reply, as he arose, gathered his hat ed out of the room never to reTHE EVERYDAY TALK OF STATE POLITICS.

Vesterday's telegrams put Schley cour ty, which was counted as having taken no action on the senatorship, in the list of those which did take such action, the

committee providing that the democrats of the county shall express their preference for senator at the primary on June 6th. Banks county provides for the June primary, but says nothing about the senatorship. The Lowndes county committee saw fit not only to ignore the instructions of the state committee but to adopt a resolution condemnatory of the state comntittee. Lowndes democrats will meet in mass meeting on June 6th, but the committee says nothing about the senator-

The Schley mistake was due to an omission in the first telegram sent to The Constitution from Ellaville. The following special received last night tells the

"Ellaville, Ga., April 9.-(Special.)-Schley should be put in the list of those counties which will act on the senatorship at the primary on June 6th. The failure to so state in the first telegram about the com mittee's action was purely an oversight. The committee believes the people should have an opportunity to express their choice for this important office, and they believe the best time for this is at the June primary, when there will be a full and The action is, too, in accord the wishes of the democrats of the county.

The Dawson News shows how the joint debates are reaching the people. "They have already demonstrated," says The News, "that the people of Georgia are largely in favor of old-time democracy and the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1, and that those who favor bimetallism and the single gold standard cannot be changed from their respective positions.

"The discussions have also shown that Mr. Smith is not a match for Judge Crisp in debate. The ex-speaker, always calm cool, keen and logical, has worsted the secretary at every point and carried the crowd with him. Especially is this true of the discussion in Atlanta, the home of Mr. Smith. There, smarting under the unanswerable arguments and keen thrusts of Judge Crisp, and seeing that even his home people were not in sympathy with him and his views, the secretary lost con trol of himself and fumed and snorted and shook his finger at Judge Crisp and called him a demagogue, and otherwise made an exhibition of bad manners and inability to meet his distinguished opponent even on his own dunghill. These debates are worrying the goldbugs, and the longer they are continued the better pleased will be Judge Crisp and his friends."

Here are two new appointments that Judge Crisp has made. He will speak at Dalton, Thursday, April 16th. Eatonton, Saturday, April 18th.

Another result of recent political move ments is apparent to the observer. At least the men who are close in touch with politics are commenting upon it, and they are, as a rule, the closest observers.

"It is just this," remarked a well-know democrat, whose home is in the central part of the state and who was in Atlanta last night. "The promptness with which Secretary Smith has dropped his senatoria aspirations since he has found out the temper of the people of the state. Hoke's own talk put him very much in the atti tude of one who was willing to go into the race if he found things to his liking Well, he came; and now that he has had a taste of the pie, it isn't exactly to his liking. The result is a conference with Flem duBignon and the latter's announce All of this makes the boys talk: and it has had the effect of disheartening many of the gold standard people because they take it as indicating an acknowledgment of the weakness of their case. people down my way are doing a good deal of laughing about it."

A telegram from Athens says: "The fact that Clarke county will not vote on the senatorial question until after the national democratic convention cannot be taken as adverse action to the candi dacy of Mr. Crisp. This county is for Mr. Crisp by a large majority, and will so express itself at the polls. Moreover, the afternoon openly stated that he was for Crisp as against duBignon, and as those were the only two running for the office he would confine his choice between them.'

The newspapers seem to be very favorable to the candidacy of Hon. A. G. Mc Curry for president of the senate. The Clarkesville Advertiser says of his candidacy: "Northeast Georgia is entitled to the presidency of the senate, and Mr. Mc-Curry would make an officer who would sustain the reputation of our section and be a credit to us. He is in every way competent and his legislative experience would render him efficient and successful as a presiding officer."

The Walton News gives him this strong

"We believe that the most popular can didate for the president of the next state senate will be Hon. A. G. McCurry, of Hartwell. Colonel McCurry has rendered distinguished service in the house, and has many warm friends over the state who will delight in assisting him to the presidency of the senate. awyer, a well-versed parliamentarian, a man of presence and dignity; and is a gen tleman of utmost integrity and imity. We earnestly trust that he m over the deliberations of the next state senate."

The Rome Tribune comes out in a strong advocacy of the re-election of Congressman Maddox. The Tribune gives its reas ons in this way:

'Careful, earnest, hard working and vigiant in the discharge of his duties. Hor John W. Maddox truly and well represent outhern democracy. He has not failed or faltered in any emergency with which he has been confronted. He has bee bitterly opposed by the populistic element, and has proved victorious in every con-That arch disorganizer, Dr. W. H. Felton, is still nagging at his heels wit claims that ought never to be admitted to a court of inquiry because of their utter lack of foundation

"By the aid of these claims Dr. Felton will be able to perpetuate his notoriety which he clings to with a tenacity that is tiful to contemplate. But if a proper use of right and justice prevails in the pitiful to conte halls of congress, he will be relegated to that seclusion from public affairs which he so richly merits because of his erration career. In the meantime Judge Maddox has remained at his post in th discharge of his duties as a faithful representative of the people.

of the people. "During the coming campaign he is to be opposed by two men-Judge Thomas W Milner, a good democrat, and Colonel W Milner, a good democrat, and Colonel W. R. Rankin, who will run as an independent and not seek the democratic nomination. The only proper way to deal with these complications is for every true democratical desired and the second se to do his duty and roll up such a majority for Judge Maddox as will silence all op-position and fix him firmly in the seat "The mania for office seeking is un-

usually prevalent all over the state as well as in the seventh district. Judge

is a safe, sound man of principle and with better equipped for advancing and defending the interests of democracy in this district than any other man. Let us go to work and only be content with an overwhelming triumph for Maddox ove

A Georgia exchange analyzes the financial situation in this way:

"Speakers and writers who favor the single or gold standard say the reason for the existing hard times that every one admits to be on the country is because of the agitation of the financial question. They fear the agitation of today not because the mere agitation of the question of the financial condition of the question causes hard times, but because the discussion of the cause of hard times cause the people to see through the thin mask which vens the single gold standard advocates—self-interest." on in this way:

The Lincolnton News pays this high com-pliment to one of the ablest men in that

section of the state:

"Judge Samuel Hardeman, of our neighboring fown, Washington, is an avowed candidate for judge of the Northern circuit, and we think that he stands a fair chance to be elected. Judge Hardeman in every way is fitted for the office. He has candor, integrity, ability and fairness, and is the peer of any man in the circuit as far as the knowledge of law is concerned, and there has not been a breath of suspicion even attached to his name. 'He stands without fear, without reproach.'"

SNAP SHOTS FROM THE GEORGIA PRESS

stitution and there behold the finest ever drawn. That cartoon is the conception of an artist and speaks volumes. It will do to put in your scrapbook, says The America The Difference. From The Putnam Herald.

Crisp has got him on the gridiron. Have

you seen it? If not, look in Monday's Cor

enough, but the "silver cause" is alive and kicking. They're Sized Up at Home.

Yes, yes, the "silver craze" is dead, sure

rom The Dawson News. Mr. Josiah Patterson, who came from rennessee to Georgia some time in to educate the people on the goldbug line, net a crushing defeat in his home county to orday. He was a candidate for de to the national convention and was defeat ed in the primary by a silver man. means his defeat for congress. These goldbug spielers are much bigger men away from home than they are at home.

No Chance for Poets. From The Rome Tribune.

One of the most admirable features about Mr. McKipley's candidacy is the gloriou fact that he has a name which no campaign poet can find a rhyme for. That's All He'll Have.

from The Augusta Herald. Hon, Josiah Patterson will at least have the approval of his own conscience

THE DEBATE AT ALBANY. The Largest Crowd Ever in the City Is Looked For.

Albany, Ga., April 9 .- (Special.)-Judge Crisp and Hon. Hoke Smith will reach this city tonight at 11:15 o'clock. Mr. Crisp will be entertained while here by Captain Richard Hobbs and Mr. Smith by Captain John A. Davis, the gentlemen having harmonious views with their guests. Their

coming will bring the largest crowd ever Americus' Delegation. Americus, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—, Americus will send a monster delegation to Albany tomorrow to hear the Crisp-Smith debate. A special train will leave the city at 8:29 o'clock a. m., and it is ex-pected that fully 509 of Judge Crisp's friends and admirers will go down to hear him. The Siver Cornet band of this city has been engaged for the occasion. Beautiful badges, bearing the inscription, "Senator Crisp and Free Silver," will be worn by the Americus delegation. Judge Crisp expected to senator and the d to remain over and go special train tomorrow, but yielded to a pressing invitation to come earlier, and accordingly went to Albany tonight.

A PRIMARY FOR BANKS

One Will Be Held June 6th-The Talk of Candidates. Homer, Ga., April 9 .- (Special.) - The democratic executive committee of Banks county has ordered a primary election to be neld on June 6th, for the purpose of nominating state and county officers and representative. Delegates to the ninth district

congressional convention will also be elect-There are a number of candidates for the various county offices already, and others are expected to enter the race at an early date. Judge T. F. Hill who has served as ordinary five terms, will have opposition. Mr. A. J. Griffin is already a candidate for that office and Mr. C. A. Meeks has entered the race for clerk of the superior court, in opposition to Mr. L. N. Turk, the present incumbent. There are no avowed candidates for representative, but it is understood that Mr. Walter Henderson will make the race. various county offices already, and others

Did Justice Lamar Change His Mind? Editor Constitution-The summer be the death of this great jurist and statesma he was visiting me at my plantation in Putham county, his birthplace.

There are at least half a dozen living witnesses to his remarks in regard to his position on the financial situation in this country at that time, which was, even then, growing steadily worse. Said he: "There is not enough mo

circulation. The rich are too rich. I can count on the fingers of one hand the names of five men who, with their money com bired, can close all the banks in the five largest cities of the land, and the only thing that prevents them from engaging in unholy speculation is that they do not dare to do it.

History repeats. Some one asked "he emedy." Said he: "Relief, and the only remedy means of relief is plain. There must be more morey. Senator Blackburn can help Senator Wal-

thall if he will, in the matter of the change in the position of Justice Lamar on the coinage of the white metal. Shortly after the time I speak of I was present at a conversation between Lamar and Blackburn (who, by the way, held each other in the highest regard) concerning financial relief for the west and south, and ed to a fineness with Blackburn's.

I have waited over several issues of your paper since the printing of the para-graph on this subject, hoping that some one would speak, and now the fear only that the matter may be left, as viewed by some, in an unsettled state induces me to make this public. And, as a have most positively no cause to serve I may positively no cause to serve

Blackburn is not dead by quite a sight, and

opine will not fly into a rage if asked to

youch for the "change of mind in Justice

How It Strikes Texas

Milledgeville, Ga., April 9th

The Galveston Daily News. April is here. The roses lave in silvery showers, like nalads bathing in limpid forest streams; rainbows beniceross the sky. dent with prismatic lory; the sun plays hide and seek beh the shifting clouds, but peeps through the rifts every minute or two to smile upon green, gorgeous, glorious, grand old Texas

GEORGIA CHIC

Big State Conven

Yesterd WENT OFF

Every City in t

WALSH DELIVERS Company Was and All Off

missioner .

When the Cott

Chicago on Aug great hall which will be a displa state of Georgia than'wever before A Tonvention lants Its purpo method of gettir this state and t over the propo The success of er than the mos anucipated: Ex was represented was there with d men manufact charts. Men of during the short placed on foot this state an ex

upon with wone

fion company

elected. The

Stirring speech

sense the conver It was noon w arrived in the began to gather Hon. Patrick V smile, entered a smile, entered at by his appearan those assembled, speaker's stand. It was not lor Agriculture R. designated in the preside, called "I am not he said. "There more about this has been invite the pleasure of Walsh."

the pleasure of Walsh."
Mr. Walsh too er's stand. He "I am glad," such a represe glans. This conthe purpose of be properly rehave had many They have all had many in A successful. I a been productive tion. ion.
"I am sorry a good deal of regard to the in Chicago in Chicage for by nations of the history of ception of the are rather sat Mr. Waish th positions and o therefrom, "We know," there are r tries in the s

southern devel or settled unt Since 1880 we made in this a tions were ner today for the of this section "Now the c great! opport will take you if you will I "I submit, should be no be no apathy Carolina and ed and given will be well "I am satis

here today wexhibit from none. The so natural resou when we mus has been a city of Atla scattered he think of it, of the entire What has acc

mation of the more in the resouthern of the great the d. I in t t in th mon sense, it result of the vantages, h withstand the terial cheap tential influe bound to ove of a centurand Great E F om this grashic reprof he south

Just at it for the hard the hard the hard the hard to ago. Why youth? Ever, all o inneral and many who recognized the solution of the solution of the hard t

rn circuit, ir chance in every has can-is, and is it as far rned, and

A PRESS day's Confinest ever

ception of

It will do to

e Americus

is dead, sure is alive and

Home.

ime ago to ug line, met ounty Satfor delegate was defeatr man.

the gloriou no campaign

at least have

in the City

LBANY.

cial.)-Judge by Captain h by Captain having har-guests. Their crowd ever

delegation dge Crisp's

BANKS. th-The Talk

Banks coun also be elect-

dates for the v, and others e at an early las served as N. Turk, the e no avowed but it is un-

His Mind? nd statesman ation in Put-

en living witrd to his poation in this h was, even

-rich. I can ind the names money comand the only engaging in e asked "the and the only

Senator Wal-of the change amar on the

eak of I was ween Lamar ay, held each views detailkburn's. Joe a sight, and

e if asked to he fear only as viewed by have most

GEORGIA MEN ON CHICAGO'S SHOW

Big State Convention Held in Atlanta Yesterday at Noon.

WENT OFF WITH A WHOOP

Every City in the State Had Delegations of Enthusiastic Men.

WALSH DELIVERS A STIRRING SPEECH

Company Was Formally Organized and All Officers Elected-Commissioner Nesbitt President.

When the Cotton exposition opens in Chicago on August 1st, spread out in the great hall which is now being constructed, will be a display of the resources of the state of Georgia more extensive and varied than ever before collected.

A convention was held yesterday in Atlarka. Its purpose was to provide the best method of getting together an exhibit from this state and to arouse more enthusiasm over the proposed enterprise. The success of the convention was great-

er than the most sanguine organizer had anticipated: Every section of the state was represented. Every city in the state was there with delegations of solid business nen, manufacturers, lawyers and mer chants. Men of all classes gathered, and during the short session a movement was placed on foot which will send out from this state an exhibit which will be looked upon with wonder in the west. An exposition company was formed. Officers were elected. The plan of operation perfected. Stirring speeches were made. In every sense the convention was a signal success. Called at Noon.

It was noon when the delegates who had arrived in the city during the morning began to gather. Shortly before 12 o'clock Hon. Patrick Walsh, with his benignant smile, entered amidst the applause excited by his appearance. He shook hands with those assembled, and took a chair near the speaker's stand.

It was not long before Commissioner of Agriculture R. T. Nesbitt, who had been designated in the call of the governor to preside, called the convention to order. "I am not here to delay matters," he said. "There is a man who knows more about this enterprise than I do. He has been invited to address you. I have the pleasure of introducing Hon, Patrick

. Walsh took his position on the speaker's stand. He was heartily applauded 'I am glad," he said, "to appear before such a representative gathering of Geor-gians. This convention has been called for the purpose of putting Georgia in line to be properly represented at Chicago. We have had many expositions in the south. They have all been successful. We have had many in Atlanta. They have all been uccessful. I am quite sure that all have

"I am sorry to say that there has been a good deal of apathy here and elsewhere in regard to this proposed Cotton exposi-tion in Chicago. This can be accounttion in Chicago. This can be account-ed for by natural reasons, since Atlanta the just closed the greatest exposition in the nistory of the country, with the exception of the world's fair. The people are rather satiated with expositions Mr. Waish then took up the different ex-

We know," he continued, "why it is that there are not more manufacturing indus-tries in the south. Cotton manufacturing is a comparatively new business in the south There were only a few mills here and there before 1860, and the conditions for southern development were not well defined or settled until about eighteen years ago. Since 1880 wonderful progress has been made in this and in other industries. Conditions were never so favorable as they are today for the development of the resources of this section.

"Now the city of Chicago offers us a great opportunity. Chicago says 'We will take your exhibit, provide all the money, build all the necessary structures,

if you will prepare it.'
"I submit, Mr. Chairman, that there should be no difference here. There should be no apathy. Kentucky, Alabama, South Carolina and Mississippi have already act-ed and given evidences of the fact that they will be well represented at Chicago.

"I am satisfied that if the men who are here today will give their support the exhibit from this state will be second to none. The south is blessed with wonderful natural resources and the time has come when we must develop them. Loot at what has been accomplished by this wonderful city of Atlanta, and I yield to no man in admiration for the pluck of its people. I can look back thirty years and see Atlanta but a mere village with one or two houses scattered here and there. And now just think of it, Atlanta represents one-eighth of the entire taxable property of the state. What has accomplished all this? Certainly of the entire taxable property of the state. What has accomplished all this? Certainly not the natural resources, for the county has very few to boast of. It is the affirmation of the county has the state of the county has the county has the state of the county has the state of the county has the county had the county has the county had the coun mation of the old adage that There is more in the man than there is in the land. The southern states will become the center of the great manufacturing industries of the world. If we make the same progress in the next fifteen years as has been made in the last fifteen we will be manufacturing 3,000,000 bales of cotton a year. Capital and skill will seek the most inviting fields for investment and development. The manufacturing plants will come to the raw material. This is inevitable. It is the com mon sense, intelligent, practical and logica result of the situation. No artificial ad vantages, however long established, can withstand the natural bounties of raw ma-terial, cheap power and climate. The po-

tential influence of natural selection is bound to overcome the artificial advantages of a century possessed by New England and Great Britain." From this Mr. Walsh proceeded into a graphic representation of the resources of the southern states. "The genius of a Mulberry Sellars, o

Baron Munchausen and of all the great ex-aggerators of all ages combined could not frame a story big enough to compare with what the south really offers and their impressions would beggar description compar-ed with what is here."

Governor Atkinson Comes In. Just at this point Governor Atkinson en-tered the hall and was roundly cheered. Mr. Walsh paused a moment. "A gentle-man said to me," he continued, "some days ago, 'Why advertise the resources of the south? Every specialist knows what is here, all of them are familiar with the mineral and agricultural resources.' I said 'My friend, I differ with you. There are many who look upon the south as a mere geographical situation, the home of malaria inhabited entirely by blacks and outlaws.'

This is the opinion many have of us."

Mr. Walsh dwelt upon the wrong impressions prevailing in the north with regard to the south. He referred to the time en instead of toward the south the north.

The governor said that a great feature in the result of the proposed exposition adjourned.

The governor said that a great feature in the result of the proposed exposition was turned westward. The governor said that a great feature in the result of the proposed exposition would be the increase of population. No country was prosperous without schools. To have schools it was necessary to thicken the proposed exposition would be the increase of population. No country was prosperous without schools. To have schools it was necessary to thicken the proposed exposition adjourned.

Now Is the Time to take advantage of the American Newspaper Syndicate's offer. Today you are in the population. "It is too long," he said, "to wait for natural growth.

"I have no war to make upon any section." tide of immigration was turned westward.
"We have never made any attempts to bring immigration here," he said. "We should promote in every possible way the dissemination of facts relative to the great resources of this country. It is a duty we

he could to encourage it.

to the different apinions expressed on the south by men of note. Carroll D. Wright had said the other night in New York that had said the other night in New York that
the south possessed forty times the mineral
wealth of England. Chauncey Depew had
stated that the south was the El Dorado
of this country. W. D. Kelly had said that
of all the land in this country the south was
the richest in mineral resources.
A great opportunity was offered in this
Chicago exposition. Governor Bullock had

A great opportunity was offered in this Chicago exposition. Governor Bullock had said that Chicago was the greatest bill board of the country. He was right. And now the privilege was given the south of showing what she had. The Cotton States and International exposition was the promoter of the Chicago exposition. It gave an impetus to the movement. The gave an impetus to the movement. The Chicago enterprise would eclipse all former efforts to advertise the south.

The address of Mr. Walsh was received with heavity assets.

with hearty applause.

Just here Major R. J. Guinn was chosen as secretary of the convention and the names of those present were enrolled. Who Were There.

Following was the full roll of those pres-Atlanta-Ex-Governor R. B. Bullock, General C. A. Evans, Hon. H. H. Cabaniss, Captain R. J. Lowry, Mayor Porter King, Major McCollum, General J. R. Lewis, C. E. Harman, A. J. West, T. H. Martin, W. M. Scott, L. L. McClesky, S. F. Woodson, T. P. Ivey, J. M. Cutler and Clark Howell.

Howell.

Augusta—Hon. Patrick Walsh, Colonel
D. B. Dyer, George J. Howard, L. C. Hayne,
Judge W. F. Eve, M. L. Burum, J. Rice
Smith, J. R. Lanear, F. De Berard and
Bowdre Phinazee.
Bartow County—John H. Wikle, L. S.
Munford, John A. Storer and W. H. Howard.

ard.
Macon-T. J. Carling, W. G. F. Price,
Sam Altmayer and George A Smith,
East Point-Hugh H. Colquitt,
Wilcox County-J. R. Monroe,
Austell, Ga.-C. J. Shelverton,
Jonesboro, Ga.-Mayor Gus Morrow,
Tifton, Ga.-L. G. Maynard and F. G.
Boatright.

CHAIRMAN-

R.T. NESBITT-

THE GOVENOR APPROVES

Tennessee-J. W. Thomas.

The Mayor Speaks.

When the roll had been made out a reso

lution was passed, introduced by Mr. Stewart Woodson, president of the chamber of commerce, calling for the appointment of

a committee upon permanent organization. This committee retired and a committee with Mr. D. B. Dyer as chairman was ap-

pointed upon resolutions.

While these two committees were out a call was made for Mayor Porter King. Re-

sponding the mayor said:
"I want to say a few words about the result we have noticed from the Cotton States

and International exposition. There was a

feeling that there would be a reaction at the close of this great show and some pre-dicted a stagnant period for Atlanta. But

this has not come. There is today a more prosperous atmosphere here than at any time in our history. There are more hand-

some buildings going up than I have ever seen erected before at one time. It is prac-

tical experience that we have been greatly

benefited. We feel grateful to Chicago because of the interest they took in our en-terprise. We have commenced to know these people. We have begun to love

"that I not only see about me the leading

citizens of Atlanta and the most represen-tative men from the different sections of the state, but I am proud that the governor

has lent the enthusiasm of his presence

The Governor's Address.

Governor Atkinson made a short address

stating that he was in hearty sympathy with the movement and would do all that

"We have heard a great deal about cam-paigns of education," he said, "but my friend Walsh has begun the greatest cam-

paign we have ever had. We have reached that point where we, with the wealth of the south, are both able and capable of educating the people of the

tion; I am friendly to all, but I had rather see the south independent, await-ing the bidders of the west, than to be-hold her a suppliant at the feet of the east. I will ald and encourage this

Resolutions Read.

In the meantime the committee upon res olutions had filed its report, as follows: "Whereas, The Southern States Exposi-tion company, of Chicago, has agreed to pay all the expenses of conducting an exposition of the products and resources of the southern states, the condition on their part being to deliver the exhibits

to the exposition company at the expo-sition buildings in Chicago; and "Whereas, we consider the proposition made by the citizens of Chicago to be

made by the citizens of Chicago to be public spirited and the most advantageous ever offered for advertising to the people of the west and northwest, the agricultural, mineral, timber and manufacturing products and resources of the southern states for diversified industries; be it, therefore,

"Resolved, by this convention, representing all the interests of Georgia, That we most cordially accept the generous offer of the Chicago Exposition Company as affording the best opportunity ever presented to advertise the varied and unrivaled resources of our state.

"Resolved, That we invite the cordial co-operation of the farmers, merchants, miners, manufacturers and the railroad and commercial interests generally to make Georgia's exhibit worthy of the Empire State of the South.

"Resolved That we, the members of this

and commercial interests generally to make Georgia's exhibit worthy of the Empire State of the South.

"Resolved, That we, the members of this convention, pledge ourselves that Georgia's exhibit will fully portray all the products and resources of our grand commonwealth. monwealth.

"Resolved, That Hon. R. T. Nesbitt, commissioner of agriculture, be requested to promote in every possible way the agricultural interest of the state of Georgia

ricultural interest of the state of Georgia at the Chicago exposition.

"Resolved, That this convention re-quest each county to appropriate at least \$100, and more if possible, and that each city or town of more than 1,000 inhabi-tants be requested to subscribe at least \$100, or more, to the representation of

FORMAL DEMAND MADE FOR \$4,315

Clerk Cooper Asked To Pay That Amount

To Cover His Shortage.

The Shortage Is Alleged To Have Begun More Than Ten Years Ago.

HE WILL PAY WHAT HE OWES

THE GRAND JURY MAY TAKE ACTION Mr. Cooper Spent Several Hours in

Conference with the Finance

Committee Yesterday. Formal demand was made yesterday afernoon by County Treasurer Columbus M. Payne upon ex-County Clerk John Tyler Cooper for the apparent amount of short-

age which it is claimed the county has never received. Mr. Cooper stated that he acknowledged the demand as being official, and would pay what he owed as soon as he could make the necessary arrangements.

Demand was made then upon Treasurer Payne by the finance committee of the board of county commissioners. The committee took the position that 'Freasurer

HON PATRICK WALSH EXPLAINS THE UNDERTAKING-

SCENE IN THE HALL

which had not been received.

ould not account for it.

Judge Payne said he was of the opinion

Under the resolution passed at the last

special meeting of the board, the committee then made a formal demand upon Mr. Cooper for the amount which the books

showed had not been turned over as per the statement prepared by Clerk Kontz.

Mr. Cooper stated, in substance, to the

ommittee the same as he said to Treasurer

Payne. He told the members of the finance

committee that a settlement would be made as soon as he found out the exact

amount of the shortage and could make

the arrangements for the payment of the

The amount demanded yesterday after-noon was \$4,315, and included the amounts

of apparent shortage from April, 1892, up to the present time. The amount does not include anything back of that time, but a

statement is now being prepared to show

if any shortage occurred between 1881 and

"I have returned to settle the overdraft

and I propose staying in the city until that is done. After this is over, I will re-turn to Costa Rica, which will be made my

The Shortage Increases.

When Mr. Cooper was first asked the amount of his shortage, he said it was in the neighborhood of \$1,500.

This amount has daily increased since

the examination into the records was begun, and the amount of \$4,315 was reach-

ed yesterday afternoon. This statement in

cludes nothing beyond the latter part of April in 1892.

The board has made investigation of

the records back of 1892, and the statement

permanent home."

of Mr. Cooper.

that he was not liable, as he had never received the money himself, and therefore

Georgia at the Chicago Southern States I and was liable to the county for the money

Georgia at the Chicago Southern States exposition.

"Resolved further, That as commissioner of agriculture of the state of Georgia, Colonel Nesbitt be requested to invite the cordial co-operation of the commissioners of agriculture of the southern states to the end that the Southern States exposition at Chicago may be thoroughly representative of the manifold natural advantages of the south for diversified pursuits of all kinds, pertaining to agriculture, horticulture, mining and manufacturing.

"Resolved further, That his excellency, W. Y. Atkinson, governor of Georgia, be requested to lend his aid and influence in promoting the objects of this organization to the end that the state be appropriately represented at the Chicago Southern States exposition."

represented at the Chicago Southern States exposition."

These were adopted in full.

The report of the committee upon permanent organization was as follows:

"We recommend that this convention forthwith resolve itself into a permanent organization, to be called the Southern States Exposition Company of Georgia. All members of this convention shall be members of said company; and any other persons may become members by appointment by the president.

"Its officers shall consist of a president, a secretary and a treasurer and one vice president from each congressional district. Its members shall comprise representatives of all the principal interests of the state and of each county in the state.

"Each principal interest and each county shall be represented by a committee; said committee to be appointed by the president.

"The following committees are recom-

dent.
"The following committees are recommended: On agriculture, on horticulture, on manufacturing, on mining.
"We further recommend that said committees shall consist of seven members each—three of whom shall constitute a

each—three of whom shall constitute a quorum.

"The county committees shall comprise one or more members for each principal business of the county. The functions of the various committees shall be to arrange for effective exhibits of the products and resources of the state and to raise the funds necessary, acting for that purpose under the general direction of the president, to whom they shall report.

"The president shall appoint a committee on ways and means, which shall report to this convention a plan for raising resources."

To Name Vice Presidents.

It was suggested that the president o

the company name at his leisure a vice president for every congressional district in the state. This was accepted as an

Mr. Adolph Joseph suggested that Mr. Walsh be made president. Mr. Walsh

waish be made president. Mr. waish stated that he appreciated the compliment, but would decline. He placed the motion to elect Mr. Nesbitt before the house. Prevalent Nesbitt stated that there was no further business and the convention additionard.

The election of officers resulted: Hon. R. T. Nesbitt, president. Major R. J. Guinn, secretary. Mr. C. A. Harman, treasurer.

complete his, and the two will be compared. Mr. Cooper says he is willing to pay the amount he really owes, but will refuse to pay more than his statement shows he is due the county.

Short in Accounts in 1884. While making an investigation of the county records, Mr. Forrest Adair, of the finance committee, made a strange dis-covery yesterday morning. The license record is a book consisting

The license record is a book consisting of several hundred pages, one side of the page being blank and the other is the side upon which the skeleton license is nrinted. On a blank side of the page about the middle of the book was discovered the report of the two experts who made an inv stigation of the books in 1884.

Written on this page is a statement showing that on August 29, 1884, there was a shortage of \$771.15. This statement was signed by J. M. Patton and W. F. Parkhurst, examining experts.

"We have examined and checked this book to this page, including the license issued to Abbie Howard, signed July 17, 1884, and find a balance due the county treaserer on account of shows, peddlers and for coal and gas used in the basement, to be \$421.15. On liquor licenses, \$350. Total, \$771.15.

WILLIAM F. PARKHURST.

"J. M. PATTON."

"August 29, 1884."

"August 29, 1884."

The Statement of Accounts. statement upon which the formal de mand was made yesterday afternoon is based upon transactions from April 29, 1892, until June, 1894. It is as follows, showing a shortage of \$4,315:

February 21, 1895, Castleberry & Gregory...

April 16th, D. M. Bain.
July 22, 1895, Jacobs' Pharmacy Co.
July 22, 1895, D. Steinheimer.

Paid county for maps:
October 25, 1894, G. W. Adair.

January 30, 1895, H. M. Atkinson..

April 25th, Central railroad..

May 20, H. B. Baylor..

June 1st, H. B. Baylor..

June 14th, H. B. Baylor...

Liquor licenses... Lyceum theater

Finance Committee in Session. The finance committee of the board of county commissioners was practically in

session all day yesterday. Mr. Adair and Mr. Walter Brown spen Mr. Adair and Mr. Walter Brown spent several hours in the morning and afternoon looking through the books and making an investigation.

Late yesterday afternoon the statement showing a shortage of \$4,315 was completed, including all payments supposed to have been made from 1892 up to the latter pert of the term of office held by Mr. Cooper.

The statement showing this amount was presented Treasurer Payne by Mr. Adair. presented Treasurer Payne by Mr. Adair.

"From a statement made from the books," said Mr. Adair, "the county has lost the amount of this statement, and as a member of the finance committee and acting under the authority of the board, I make this formal demand upon you as treasurer of the board for the full amount shown."

The statement was boarded Treasurer.

debtedness, which would be paid as soon as he could arrange for it.

Demand was then made upon Mr. Cooper by the board and he said in substance what he had stated to Treasurer Payne.

Says He Is Not Liable. never been received by the treas 'As soon as the finance committee in

"As soon as the finance committee informed me that Mr. Cooper owed the county," said Treasurer Payne, "I took the statement which they furnished me and handed it to Mr. Cooper and demanded that he pay over to the treasurer of Fulton county the sum of \$4,35.

"Mr. Cooper has not paid me any of that sum, and no part of it is in my hands, nor am I responsible for the amount. There has never been one cent of the county funds in my hand that I have not accounted for, nor will there ever be. I have always heretofore and ever will account for funds coming into my hands and in every respect 1 have faithfully discharged my duty."

Grand Jury Meets Today.

The grand jury will meet this morning, and it is quite probable that some steps will be taken by that body looking into

Mr. Cooper Talks. Mr. Cooper said yesterday afternoon tha he was of the opinion that several matters had been given out for publication which were either wrong in themselves or left an erroneous impression.

"I have noticed that the figures of \$30,000 appear in one or two of the reports. Everybody who reads these figures will accuse me of having misappropriated the whole amount. My shortage is not near as much as some people would desire to make it appear, and I am simply taking matters quietly until I can complete my statement; see what the amount is, and then pay it up and wipe out the balance." he was of the opinion that several mat

Women with pale, colorless faces, who feel weak and discouraged, will receive both mental and bodily vigor by using Carter's Iron Pills, which are made for the blood, nerves and complexion.

New Sterling Silver, Goods For Wedding Presents. Latest Styles

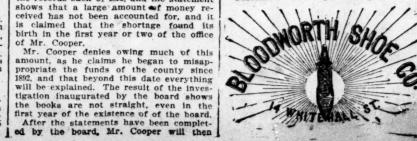
31 Whitehall St,

In Parting With Your Money HANDSOME STOCK

And will guarantee to save you money on your purchases in this line. Our assortment cannot be surpassed anywhere in variety and style.

Shoes bought since March 1st, worth \$5 or more, half-soled free.

Customers' Shoes polished gratis.



FINE FOOTWEAR

In Announcing Our Candidacy for Your Patronage we Desire to State that We Have Fairly Outdone Ourselves in

VARIETY, COLORS AND QUANTITY.

We present to you the best selected, best made, the most stylish and reliable stock of Shoes that was ever shown in Atlanta. If beautiful styles, fine workmanship, reasonable prices and courteous treatment by able salesmen count for anything, your patronage is respectfully so-YOURS VERY TRULY. licited by



Footcoverers to All Mankind, 27 Whitehall St.

Ladies' Sailors

Our first shipment has arrived, and w

Cooper.
This statement was made the basis of the formal demand for settlement.
At the same time that the committee and the clerk were preparing a statement Mr. Cooper was also busily engaged in going through the books ascertaining the amount which he owed the county. The Demand for the Money.

The demand for the money was made late yesterday afternoon in the office of the county commissioners and the figures which were shown Mr. Cooper amounted

shown."

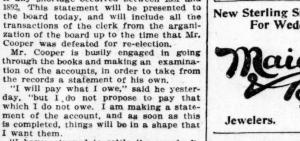
The statement was handed Treasurer Payne, who then made demand of Mr. Cooper for the amount.

Mr. Cooper said he acknowledged the demand as being official and was not surprised, as he had been waiting for it to be done. He said he was engaged at the time in looking through the books and was preparing a statement showing his indebtedness, which would be naid as soon

Treasurer Payne was represented by Attorney Thompson, who made a statement about the matter. He took the position that the money could not be turned over to the finance committee, as it had

Grand Jury Meets Today. the matter of the shortage.

The grand jury had adjourned until the 17th, but it is supposed that the special call is for the matter alluded to. A large number of subpoenaes were sent out yesterday and nearly all of the commissioners were summoned to appear.



SPRING SHOES!



BRING YOUR BY SKILLED WORKMEN. CHARLES W. CRANKSHAW



Eiseman Bros.' manufacture exclusively the Clothing they sell. We are the only house in Atlanta who can say this. It is the only way for a firm to please all its customers all the time. Wholesale clothiers doing business in distant cities cannot judge correctly the tastes and needs of the people of Atlanta. We are right in touch with the retail buyers. We cater to them alone. We do not pay some other manufacturing organization a profit, and then on top of that charge another profit. Direct from maker to wearer--that's the way we serve the people.

Eiseman Bros.,

15 AND 17 WHITEHALL STREET. NO BRANCH STORE IN THE CITY.

LONDON A MODERATE SELLER

A Day of Small Transactions and light Fluctuation in Cotton. Wheat Closed Lower.

New York, April 9 .- Stocks were intenseby dull today, the total sales amounting to only 133,623 shares, of which 30,000 shares were Sugar, 18,300 Tobacco, 12,000 Burlington and Quincy and 10,000 St. Paul. The opening of the market was firm, the sensational rumors of yesterday about the president's action in the Cuban matter having failed to materialize. Prices moved up fractionally, but the improvement did not bring in orders from outsiders, and the business was mor opolized by the trading element. London sold a little St. Paul and Louisville and Nashville in the afternoon, and the market showed a weaker tendency on :eports of further gold shipments late in the week and the revival of the report that President Cleveland will send in a message to congress indorsing the recent action of that body on the Cuban matter. Leading bear operators with Washington connec tions were conspicuous sellers of the Grangers at this time. The rumors referred to, wever, could not be traced to an authentic source. 'The loss in the Grangers was insignificant, but Sugar was decidedly weaker and fell from 1181/2 to 1161/2@1161/8, with a subsequent recovery to 117%. Tobacco declined from 84% to 834 and later recovered to 84%. The Jeath of Vice President Pope was used against the stock early in the day. The decline in the general list in the afternoon dealings was equal to 4@1
per cent, the Grangers, General Electric
and Rubber leading. Speculation closed dull, with prices anywhere from 1/4 to 3/8 Bonds were dull and easier in tone. The

sales footed up \$1.825,000. Treasury balances: Coin, \$128,054,823; cur-Money on call, firm at 304 per cent; last loan at 314, closing offered at 31/2; prime mercantile paper 51/2@6 per cent,

Bar silver 68%.c. Sterling exchange steady with actual busness in bankers' bills at \$4.88@\$4.88% for 60 days and \$4.89@\$4.90 for demand; commercial bills \$4.87@\$4.87%. Government bonds firm. State bonds dull.

ilroad bonds easy. Silver at the board was quiet. London, April 9.—Bar silver, 31 3-16d. Con-ols, 110% for money, and 110½ for the account. Paris advices quote 3 per cent rentes

in: blas:
14% Mebile & Ohio 22
191 Nash., Chat, & St. L. 68
173 U.S. Cordare 4
Dirty do pref
55 N. J. Centra! 105
98 N.Y. Control 98
5 N Y. & N. E. 40
Norfolk & Western 5
Northern Pac
6 do. pref 11
Northwestern 103
7% do. pref 145
5 Pacific Mail. 26
Ne Reading 10
740 Rock Island 701
1's St. Paul 75
Silv r Certificates 63
4 T.C.I. 30
75 do. pref. 100
Union Pacific 8
Wabnab. St. I. & P. d
8% de. pref 17
8% Western Union 83
b Wheeling & L. Krie 9
2% de. pref 32
4

Missouri Pacific	92%	do. pref	32
de., Class C. Louisiana stamped N. C. 4s. N. C. 6s. Tenn. new set'm't 34. Virginia 6s, deferred. de. Trust ree'ts, S.	106 100% 97 105 1191% 88	U. S. 4s, registered do. 2s. Southern Railway 5s. do. common do. preferred S. C. 443s	

The Gold Reserve. Washington, April 9.—The treasury go reserve at the close of business toda at \$127,795,910. The withdrawals for the day were \$114,200.

Early Morning Gossip. By Private Wire to the Paine-Murph

Brokerage Company. It was thought the break in Sugar was a scoop by insiders, coming as it did on bullish information as to the company's financial position and in the face of an advance of 1/sc in all grades of refined sugar. People who have been bullish on the stock say they do not moderate their views at all, but should not be surprised to see many sharp reactions before the time arrives, when there is a division of a part of the surplus in the form of an extra dividend. Matters in trade con naeuits the Matters in trade continue as favorable as possible, and the spring demand is expected to set in with a rush any day. The two advances in refined prices this week were partly in anticipation of this demand

Some question has been raised as to the ability of the American Tobacco Company to list its scrip on the New York stock exchange. The scrip dividend is not pay-able until May 1st. Brokers active in the stock, when questioned as to rumors of an injunction against the scrip and dividend, said it was within the power of the company to distribute the stock in lieu of the scrip. The resolution accom-panying the scrip dividend specifically ated that it was against the betterments to the property. It is understood that an issue of additional stock up to the limits is authorized for a like purpose.

London has been a mild seller.

Talk of Washington Cuban developments
and gold exports caused traders to sell
long Sugar and a block of 1,000 American

Chicago Special: Rock Island's earnings for April to date has been worse than for the corresponding periods the corresponding periods in March. This fact, together with the light corn movement and the poor passenger traffic, indi-cates disappointing statements by both Rock Island and Burlington and Quincy St. Paul's earnings for the first week in

April are expected to be given out at Chicago tonight. The movement in wheat Guring the week was smaller than during

Closing Stock Review.

By Private Wire to the Paine-Murphy Brokerage Company.

was intensely dull and irregular in its price movement today. There was a firm opening, owing to the failure of Washing-ton to confirm the sensational rumor of yesterday on the Cuban situation, but Lon don and commission house buying orders alike were lacking, and in consequence prices soon began to sag.

Sugar was heavy, although it rallied from an early decline of 1 per cent.

American Tobacco moved erratically, but with a downward toward towa but with a downward tendency Chicago Gas was strong, on the expecta-

tion that there may be a distribution of a dividend before long.

The Grangers were sold by brokers of a well-known bear operator, but there were rallies from the morning decline of 1 per reports from Washington

e of an increase in the gravity of

the Cuban crisis, but the rumors could not The market closed irregular and heavy. DESCRIPTION 3 1 1

	Opent	Highe	1	Today	Yester
Delaware & Lack				1593	150%
Northwestern,	1884	1084		104	1631
Tenn. Coal and Iron	201		297	30	303
Southern Railway	100	9	83	87	9
New York & N. E	· ·····			40	40
Lake Shere				147	147%
Western Union	833.	1 844g		835	8314
Missouri Pacific	24%	245	24	24	24
Union Pacide	84	314	64"	84	
Dist. & Cattle Feed Co	17%	17%	175	17%	
Atchison			10, 1-1	104	
Reading.	10%	1036	104	1040	
Louisville & Nash	49 4	493	45%	49	49%
North. Pacific pref				111	1134
St. Paul	75%	75%	73	73	753
Rock Island	71	71	70	70%	71
Chicage Gas	67%	9834	67%	68	674
Chie., Bur, & Quiney	78	781	773	78%	7.7
Am'n Sugar Retinery	1181	118%	117	1175	117%
Krie				144	1436
Am'n Cotton Oil				115	14%
General Electric	37%	354	374	375	37%

LOCAL BONDS AND STOCKS.

ta. 31 ₆ ×, 27 (o 2) years	CITY BONDS, Augus'a7s, L. B., 113 Macon 6a	116%
tianta 4/58162	P BONDS	- 4
eorgia 6a, 1897. 160 eorgia 6a, 1810. 109 eorgia 6a, 1822. 111 a. Pac. 161 114 115 A. & M c't'fs 64 66	CC. & A. 1st. 5s 1069	103

.... 91% 93 Ang. & Say...... 93 A. & W. P...... 100 103 do. deben...... 100 102 Atlanta Clearing House Statement. Darwin G. Jones, Manager.

THE COTTON MARKET.

Spot Cotton Quotations. Atlanta-Quiet; middling 74c. Liverpool-Business fair; middling 413-32d.

	DECE		a:	M TS		
	TOP OF	11.12	SHIP	M TS	FTOC	KS.
	1896	1895	1896	1895	1896	1395
turday	13	82	7	175	#341	3873
onday		140			2315	6013
iesday	28	/ 151	2:3	Same	1065	6164
edne way		. 91	255	382	78.6	5372
iday	24	69	197	142	7703	0890
	-		*****			*** (
Tetal	167	533	747	699		

McIntyre & Wardwell's Cotton Letter.

New York, April 9.—It was again a day of small transactions and slight fluctuations. The opening was 1 point lower on near deliveries and 1 up on distant. Liver-pool-opened unchanged and closed steady and unchanged to 1½ points up. Spots there were hardening but unchanged; sales 10,000 bales. New Orleans opened 1 point lower, recovered that and advanced 1 point, but lost the rise and declined 1 point. It was a tame, scalping market, and the general drift of prices was downward. The closing was easy with prices 3@4 points off; sales 58,300. Bombay receipts for the week were \$7,000 bales, against 60,000; shipments to Great Britain, 5,000, against, none, and to the continent 47,000, against 40,000. In Manchester yarns were quiet; cloths quiet and unphanged. the continent 47,000, against 40,000. In Manchester yarns were quiet; cloths quiet and unchanged. Exports were 14,200. Port receipts, 7,590, against 6,646 last week, 11,862 last year and 5,210 in 1894. Thus far this week 47,227, against 51,154 last week. New Orleans expects tomorrow 1,00 to 1,500, against 2,765 last week, 2,626 last year and 2,308 in 1894. Spots here were unchanged, sales 205 for spinning. Southern spot markets unchanged. Augusta sold 1,196, New Orleans 1,000, Mobile 600. Augusta received £2, against 33 last week and 144 last year; Memphis 271, against 206 and 374; St. Louis 70 against 44 and 55; Houston 1,114, against 1,782 and 9,104. Houston expects tomorrow 500 to 600, against 1,586.

MONTEL	Opening	Highest	Lower.	Today's	Yesterday's
April	7.63	7.68	7.61	7.64-65	7.67-8
May	7.6	7.70	7.56	7.66-67	7.69-7
June	7.68	7.31	7.66	7.66-67	7.69-7
July	7.70	7.73	7.68	7 63-69	7.71-7
August	7.70	7.74	7.88	7.68 69	7.71-7
September	7.35	7.39	7.35	7.35-46	7.35-3
October	7.26	7.29	7.25	7.25-26	7.26-2
November	7.21	7.22	7.19	7.15-19	7.19-2
December	7.23	7.25	7.22	7.21-22	7 21-2
January	7.29	7.20	7.26	7.26-27	7.26-2
February					

Baturday 744s 13312 4836 24279 53883a 8404 Mouday 11743 15314 13120 2955 552437 82071 Tuesday 12281 28233 462-6 5550 53891 5481 Wednesday 8175 8001 6305 1159 5-7757 8400 Thorsday 7390 11862 17400 61221 526640 7546 Friday 7890		RECE	SIPTS	EXP	PRTS.	STO	CKS.
Mozday 11743 18314 13220 2056 52±37 8207 8207 8208 8208 8208 8208 8208 850 8508 8508 8508 8508 8508 8408		1896.	1895.	1896.	1885.	1806.	1895.
Monday 11743 18314 13720 20565 52±37 8207±37 8207±37 8207±37 8207±37 8207±37 8207±37 8207±37 8207±37 8207±37 8207±37 8400±37 </td <td>Baturday</td> <td>7448</td> <td>13312</td> <td>4836</td> <td>24279</td> <td>539852</td> <td>8404*</td>	Baturday	7448	13312	4836	24279	539852	8404*
Tuesday 12281 2823 4026 5850 535015 8451 Wednesday 8175 8001 6505 11539 51757 8440 Thursday 7590 11802 12400 61221 526640 7516 Friday		11733	15314	13:20	20565		82975
Wednesday 8175 8061 6505 11539 517757 8480 Thursday 7590 11862 12490 61221 526640 7516 Friday	Tuesday	12281	25233	46:6	9350		84518
Thursday 7590 11862 12480 61221 526640 7516	Wednesday	8175	51101	€595	11539	51.7757	846079
		7590	11862			526840	751670
Total 47227 74082 42647 137163	Total	47227	74082	42647	1371-3		

THE NEXT COTTON CROP.

Reports Show an Increase in Acreage and Use of Fertilizers.

and Use of Fertilizers.

The following private were telegrams were received yesterday by the Paine-Murphy Brokerage Company:

TEXAS.

San Antonio—It is stated the acreage in this section will be increased 25 to 30 per cent. Planting progressing favorably. Considerable cotton in southern portion of Texas is up. Farmers say they have best season in ground they have had for ten years. This comes from forty towns.

Austin—Season about two weeks late, but planting now progressing rapidly with an increase of 25 to 30 per cent in acreage. Fort Worth—Seeding just commenced. Acreage probably increased 25 per cent. Temple—Increase in acreage 15 per cent, of which 5 per cent is new lands; planting progressing nicely.

Sherman—Preparations well advanced; ground in good shape; about 35 per cent increase.

Waco—There will probably be an inincrease.

Waco-There will probably be an increase of 20 per cent in acreage this year.

McKinney-Increased acreage in this section about 50 per cent; planting progressing nicely, and weather continues favorable.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

The acreage in this state will

Charleston—The acreage in this state will be increased from 10 to 15 per cent, or about equal to two years ago. The use of fertilizers, on which so much stress has been laid, while far ahead of last year, will not be up to the figures of two years ago by 10 per cent. Preparations so far are about as advanced as usual. Very little old cotton in the country. The export season is over.

Greenville—About 15 per cent increase in acreage is conceded by the best informed. The farmers are in good in shape and are hopeful.

hopeful.

Anderson—Cotton acreage about 10 to 12 per cent more than last year. Fertilizer sales about 25 per cent more than last season.

Rock Hill—Acreage increase, 10 to 15 per cent: use of fertilizers increase, 25 per cent. Preparations progressing rapidly, but the weather is rather cool for seed-

ing.
Winnsboro—Increase in acreage, 15 per cent; locrease in fertilizers, 75 per cent. Preparations for planting progressing rapidly, but the weather is most too cold for eeding.

Spartanburg—Acreage increase, 20 per ent; fertilizer increase, 40 per cent. Preparations for the biggest crop on record. lot of planting already done; weather

as 1893 and 1894. Sale of mules, 10,000, against 4,000 last year. Preparations for cotton ten days late. Weather favorable now and farming progressing rapidly.

Opelika—Increase in acreage, 10 per cent; increase in fertilizers, 40 per cent, as compared with last year, but 15 per cent less than 1894. Sales of mules, 26 carloads, against 12 in 1895. Preparatiens more forward than 1895, but less forward than in 1894. The weather is too cool for planting.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Charlotte—Acreage increase, 10 per cent; sales of fertilizers increase 95 per cent. The weather is good and the ground is well prepared for planting.

Monroe—The preparation and condition of soil are ahead of last year. There is a manifest disposition to sharply increase the use of fertilizers, but the ratio of increase does not indicate an increase in acreage.

MISSISSIPPI.

Natchez—The number of mules sold here is 2,400, against 600 last year and 800 the year before. The estimated increase in cotton acreage is 12 to 15 per cent. Planting progressing favorably and farmers are well up with work.

Greenville—Increase in acreage, 10 to 12 per cent. The rains have retarded work on plantations, but for two weeks good weather has prevailed and planters have made fair progress. The sales of mules are 1,500, an increase of 600 over last year.

are 1,500, an increase of 600 over last year.

GEORGIA.

Columbus—Increase in acreage, 10 to 12 per cent; increase in fertilizers, 40 per cent; sales of mules, 1,100, against 400 last year. Preparations progressing nicely and farmers are well up.

Athens—Increase in acreage about 10 per cent larger than last year, but 10 per cent less than the year before. Preparation compares favorably with this time last year.

Macon—Most prominent farmer in Houston county says this morning that preparation for planting in his section is retarded by rain and cool weather, and that the increase in acreage is not over 5 per cent in that county.

Augusta—Reports from this section say that farmers are utilizing every available space to plant in cotton and are cleaning up the fence corners.

ARKANSAS.

Little Rock—A great deal of work is being done this week and planters are fairly catching up with their work. There will be an increase in cotton acreage, but is yet unknown to what extent, perhaps 8 to 10 per cent.

Hubbard Bros. & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

New York, April 9—A market without business can scarcely present many factors of interest to record unless we restate the vital factor that each day becomes more prominent to the trade, namely, that the course of prices hinges upon the demand rather than the supply. With the cotton goods trade in a deplorable condition, spinners may be expected to curtail their productions as much as possible, and to buy only the smallest amount of cotton; therefore, we cannot expect an active demand for cotton until trade improves. Another factor not quite so vital at th's moment is the preparations for the next crop, and while we are without reports of damage on account of bad weather, that stimulant is lacking. Altogether, we have a paralyzed condition in the market, which we have not witnessed for many years. During the afternoon the execution of a few selling orders by local longs, who have been accumulating cotton on the idea of a possible August squeeze in April, caused the market to close easy. Otherwise, the market is without feature. Hubbard Bros. & Co.'s Cotton Letter. without feature.

The Dry Goods Market.

The Dry Goods Market.

New York, April 9.—In the dry goods market there are a number of agents of cotton goods claiming that there are clear indications of buyers showing more interest in the situation. In both brown and bleached cottons an increase in the number of inquiries concerning sellers' ideas on quantities is recorded, and outright bids are being made more frequently for round lots. There may be disappointment that the latter are not made on a more liberal price basis, but nevertheless the fact that they remained oftener than before is hailed as an encouraging symptom.

Riordan & Co.'s Cotton Letter. Riordan & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

New York, April 9.—(Special.)—Liverpool does not seem disposed to take any decided stand in regard to the price of cotton, and traders here today were at first puzzled whether to buy on the strong statistical position or sell on the paralyzing dullness of trade. The house that has been bulling the market for a few days past again appeared as a bidder for round lots in the early trading, and as nobody was anxious to sell, prices advanced a few points, but in the course of the day it became pretty evident that their aim was rather to support the market than to accumulate any more cotton, and an appreciation of this fact changed the temper of speculators toward the close, which was at a decline of 5 tone easy. August opened at 7.70, rallecto 7.73 and closed at 7.68. We fear that it

The Sun's Cotton Review.

New York, April 9.—Cotton declined 163 points, closing easy, with sales of 58,300 points, closing easy, with sales of 58,300 bales.

Today's Features—No striking features were noticeable in the market today here or abroad. Liverpool seemed to be in something like a trance, the spot markets of this country showed no life, the Bombay shipments were large. Northern mills are said to have enough cotton on hand to last until about August 1st, and the speculation continues as dulf as ever. The news all goes to show that a big acreage will be planted and unless there is some accident to the crop the next yield will be of remarkable proportions. At the same time it is just as true that the market shows no great depression. Liverpool advanced slightly today. The supply is so small that many fear manipulation against the short interest if the weather should prove unfavorable during the next month or six weeks. In the main it is a waiting market.

Movement of the Cotton Crop.

New Orleans, April 9. - Secretary Hester's analysis of the movement of the cotton crop by groups of states for the seven months from September 1, 1895, to the close of March, 1896, issued today, shows that the entire increase for the month of March over last year—the 7,550,000 crop year—and over 1893—the 6,700,000 crop year—was in other gulf and Atlantic states, Texas other gulf and Atlantic states, Texas showing a falling off from the March movement of all the past three years. As the amount brought into sight in March this year was larger than that month since 1883, except in the bumper crops of 1891-'92 and 1895, it is interesting to know where the cotton came from. Mr. Hester shows that the in-sight from Texas was this year 71,346 bales, last year 159,768, year before last 81,322 and year before that 91,710. From other gulf states this year 118,335, last year 214,211, year before last 92,575 and year before the latter 92,272. From Atlantic 214,211, year before last 92,575 and year before the latter 92,272. From Atlantic states this year 185,574, last year 234,036, year before last 126,445 and year before the latter 111,780, making a total for all three groups 275,695 this year against 608,175 last year, 300,343 year before last and 295,-762 in 1893. For the seven months from September 1st to the close of March, Mr. Hester shows that the actual delivery of cotton from the state of Texas has been 1,742,195 bales against 3,089,195 last year and 1,880,000 the year before that. Lee amount of cotton brought into sight, which includes interior fowns and stocks in excess of September 1st as shown by railroad returns, etc., in each of the three groups of states, has been 1,762,742 bales in Texas, 2,043,621 in other gulf states and 2,621,244 in Atlantic states, a deficit in Texas compared with last year of 130,120 bales, and 1803—the 6,700,000 crop year—of 22,500 bales; a deficit in other gulf states of 62,646 under last year, a 321n over the year before last of 11,887 and a gain over 1803 of 395,642; a deficit in the Atlantic states of 765,528 under last year, 370,911 under the year before last and a gain of 184,790 over 1893. After March the movement in sight in the three groups in the past three years was as follows: Texas last year, 185,470 bales, year before last 166,198 and in the year before the latter 122,851. Other gulf states last year, 231,918 bales, year before last 184,336 and in the year before the latter 20,822. The three groups, as above set forth, consist first of Texas, including Indian Territory; second, of other gulf states, embracing Arkar sas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Tennessee, and third, of Atlantic states, embracing North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, etc.

Solit: Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, etc.

The amount contributed by each group as above to the past three crops were, in round figures, as follows: Texas 1894-95, 3,276,000 bales; 1832-93, 2,108,900 bales; 1803-94, 2,069,000 bales; 1803-94, 2,069,000 bales; 1803-94, 2,069,000, 2,216,900 and 1,865,000; Atlantic states, 6,625,-

The Liverpool and Port Markets.

Liverpool. April 9-12:18 p, m-Cotton spot business fair with prices unchangd; middling uplands 4 13-32; sales 10,000 bales; American 9,000; speculation and export fole; receipts 5,000; American 9,000; speculation and export fole; receipts 5,000; American 2,800; nplands low middling clause April and May delivery 4 18-84; May and June and August delivery 4 18-84; May and June and August delivery 4 18-84; August and September delivery 4 1 1-84; September and October delivery 4 -8-44; October and No vember delivery -; November and December delivery 4 11-84; Solemer and No vember delivery -; November and December delivery -; fatures opened quier with demand moderate.

Liverpool, April 9-4-00 s. m. -Uplands low vard-dling clause April delivery 4 20-64, 421-64; April and May delivery 4 18-64; Solemer; May and June delivery 4 17-64, 418-64; June and Juny delivery 4 15-64, August and September delivery 4 13-64, buyers; September and October delivery 4 3-64, sellers; October and November delivery 3 82-64, sellers; November and December delivery 3 60-64, sellers; December and Jonuary delivery 3 60-64, sellers; Lucrepost of the Sellers; October and Pecember delivery 3 60-64, sellers; December and Jonuary delivery 3 60-64, sellers; December and Sellers; October and Selle The Liverpoel and Port Markets.

Norfolk, April 9—Cetton firm: middling 7 11-16; net receipts 776 hales; gross 776; sales 355; steck 23,841; experis countwise 1.510.

Baltimere, April 9—Cetten nominal: middling 8; net receipts none bales; gress 460; sales none; steek 13,016. 13,016.
Boston, April 9 - Cotton dull; middling 7%; not re-celpts 1,703 bales; gross 3,004; sales none; steck none. Wilmington, April 9 - Cotton stendy; middling 7%; net receipts 116 bales; gross 110; sales none; stock 8,828. S. 226.

Philadelphia April 9 — Cetton quiet: middling 84; racelpts 283 bales; gross 283; asies noner stock 9,137.

Mayannah, April 9 — Cetton steady; middling 79-16; net recelpts 813 bales; gross 813; asies 310; stock 36,8826; exports constwise 399.

36,88:0; exports constwine 399. New Orleans, April 9-Cetton stondy: middling 7%; net receipts 1,725 bales; grass 2,181; sales 1,000; stock 190,361; exports to Great Britain 5,162; to continent 710; constwine 250. Mobile, April 9—Cotton quiet; middling 7 9-16; not receipts 23 bales; gross 23; sales 600; stock 16,612; exports coastwise 2. Memphis, April 9—Cetten steady: midding 79-16; receipts 274 baies; shipments 13; sales 500; steck

Augusta, April 9—Cotton quiet and steady; middling 7 11-16; not receipt: 62 bairs; shipments 639; sales 1,196; steek 19,367. Charleston, April 9—Cotten steady; middling 74; net receipts 128 bales; gross 128; sales none; steek 22,147. Houston. April 9—Cotton steady: middling 7%; net receipts 1,114 bales; shipments 2,405; sales 257; steak 20.265.

THE CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat Opened Higher, but Closed at a Slight Decline.

Chicago, April 9.-Today's wheat marset proved disastrous to the bulls, although it held out some hope early in the session.
The market opened higher, but prices yielded to free selling later, the rains, which have prevailed over the winter wheat sec-tion luring the past two days, imbuing the bearishly inclined with confidence. May wheat opened from 664,6664c, sold between 66% and 654,665%, closing at 65%,6654-46 %c under yesterday. Cash wheat was

steay, closing easy. Corn did nothing to entitle it to distinction, the range of the entire session being extremely small, while the fluctuations were slow and listless There was no news of importance, and the tone was merely a reflection of that of wheat, the early action

of importance, and the tone was merely a reflection of that of wheat, the early action exhibiting firmness and the latter weakness. Privilege holders were not afforded remarkable opportunity for investments. May corn opened at 10½c, sold between 32 and 30½c30½c, closing at 30c—½c under yesterday. Cash corn was quoted steaty, slightly better prices being obtained for through billed,

Outs were rather quiet, values moving a little higher early and later showing a declining tendency. The rains reported throughout the country were regarded as opportune, and as seednig is now going forward under better conditions, the effect is to produce an easier tone to the market. Wheat influenced cats to a considerable extent. May oats closed a shade under yesterday. Cash oats were quotably steady and unchanged.

Pravisions—The provision market was referred to as a branch of the wheat market from the fact that it faithfully followed the changes of that grain. The hog market was higher, which fact gave material assistance to product early, but in the later trade it was lost sight of. The close showed slight declines all around. May pork closed 7½c under yesterday, May lard 1½20 5c, and May ribs a shade lower.

snowed slight declines all around. May pork closed 74c under yesterday; May lard 149 5c, and May ribs a shade lower

The leading futu				
WHRAT- OP		High.	Low	Close.
April	66	64%	6476	6.5
May	City	663	654	65%
CORN-	6714		6614	60%
April	2036	20%	2016	2914
Mar	30 1	3017	30	20
July	3134	31	21	31
September	32%	3237	3214	82%
May	1934	1974	19%	1934
July	205	2014	20	264
September	203	2049	2014	20%
May 8	60	9 65	8 50	8 40
LARP-		8 5236	8 6714	8 70
May 5	12%	5 12%	8 0754	. 5 10
SIDES-		5 2734	5 20	6 221 ₂
Nay 4	67	4 65	4 5754	4 60
July 4	75 -	4.75	4 70	4 72%

Lamson Bros & Co.'s Grain Letter. By Private Wire to the Paine-Murphy

Brokerage Company Chicago, April 9.—The light world's ship-ments to the United Kingdom and conti-nent and the rather bullish crop summents to the United Kingdom and continent and the stather bullish crop summary of The Cincinnati Price Current created a firm feeling at the opening this morning and an advance over night of ½c per bushel, but there seemed to be a flood of selling orders from the start, holders and elevator people participating. On the decline of ½c which followed scalpers and elevator men became good buyers, and the market subsequently recovered its entire loss, holding firm till about 12:30 p. m., with indications rather favoring the bull side for a strong and higher closing. But on the receipt of closing cables, which quoted foreign markets generally weak and lower, early buyers became sellers. They found a very poor market for their offerings, the result being a quick dip of 1c per bushel. Although the cash demand has been excellent, with sales about 275,000 bushels, its effect on prices was not felt, and this had a tendency to cause some weakness on the part of the local traders. The fact that tomorrow is government report day has caused some evening up and retarded in a measure very active trading. The recent advance is expected to bring out a freer movement in the northwest and it is reported that cars are in big demand. The market closes rather heavy and about 24c lower than the high point reached is reported that cars are in big demand. The market closes rather heavy and about 24c lower than the high point reached yesterday.

Corn and oats have been almost at a standstill and business has been largely of a changing character. Receipts were moderate. Clearances of corn, 188,000 bushels.

Packers were sellers of provisions, and the market closed weak. Fluctuations in wheat have had more or less bearing on the price. The receipts of hogs were moderate. The speculative trade has been

Grain Notes.

By Private Wire to the Paine-Murphy Brokerage Company. The Cincinnati Price Current says: "The weather is retarding rather than favoring the wheat plant development. The central regions are experiencing a critical time under dry weather and wind. Prompt relief by moisture and warmth is essential to avert decided injury. tions of the crop are generally favorable. Spring seeding is backward. The week's Spring seeding is backward. The week's packing was 255,000, against 195,000 last

The official statement of the world's ship-ments make the total only 3,808,000 bushels, with the Danubian shipments to be heard

The Michigan state report makes the spring and winter wheat condition 86 against 85 last year and 90 in April, 1894. The point from Washington is that the government April condition tomorrow will be 79, against 81.4 last year. Northwest receipts, 229 cars, against 45 last week and 200 last year.

Today's cash sales of winter wheat

amounted to 260,000 bushels. Northwest reports a good demand, for There is a report that Weare has sold 200,000 bushels of winter wheat to go to

There is no more red winter wheat in Chicago that has not been con-There is not trade enough to discover

any local feature. The world's shipments and light northwest receipts are bullish. Elevator interests appear to buy May

English visible supply decreased 925,000 bushels.

There is an excellent demand for cash oats today, sales so far exceeding 100,000 bushels, all rail to Baltimore. Samples are 1/4e up. Phillips and other professionals have been moderate sellers.

Business in corn has been l'mited to changing. The range has been within 1/4c.

The speculative trade is unimportant.

Provisions are dull but steady. Packers were moderate sellers. There seems great deal of July pork wanted at \$8.70 The market is local in character and influenced largely by the action of wheat.

J. Gudahy personally sold 1,500 July pork
at \$8.75. Armour bought 250,000 pounds
of ribs and bid for as many more.

PROVISIONS, GRAIN, ETC.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE ATLANTA. GA., April 9, 183 J.

Flour, Grain and Meal.

Atlanta. April 9 — Flour first pater: \$4.97; recond patent \$4.30; straight \$3.90; fancy \$3.80 extra family \$3.00. Corn, white \$40; mixen 39c. Oats, white 35c; mixed 39c. Rye, Georgia. 75c. Barley, Georgia raised. 85c. Hay. No. 1 timothy, largebales, \$1.00; Small bales, \$1.00; No. 2 timothy, small cates, \$100. Meal. plain, \$40c; bolted. 39; ... Wheat brad, Irrge sacks 70c; small sacks, 70x, Shorts, 80c. Slock meal. \$1.00. Cotton seet insal, 95c. \$1.00 lbs.; hulls \$6.00 \$100. Peas. 60c. \$1.50.

New York, An-il 9—Southern flore quiet, good to be choletes, 100 Ms. Pass. 600. 3 bi. Grits, \$2.40.

New York, An-il 9—Southern flore quiet, good to choletes, 100 Ms. 100 Ms.

May 194; Cincinnati. April 9—Flour active: winter patents \$370@3.90; fancy \$3.10@3.30; spring patent \$3.60 @3.90. Wheat barely steady; No. 2 red 744; Corp active: No. 2 mixed 314; No. 2 white 314; Oats steady; No. 2 mixed 22. Chicago Abril 9.—Flour quiet but firm: No. 2 spring wheat 64% 666%; No. 3 spring —; No. 2 red 67% 666%. No. 2 corn 29% 29%, No. 2 cars 19%.

Groceries.

Affaira April 9 — Roastel coffee 21.60 \$ 109 b. casee less 2c be rebate. Green coffee, choice 194; fair 174;c; prime. 194;. Sugar, standard granulated 0.45c; \$\mathbb{E}\$ ew Orleans white, \$\mathbb{E}\$ c: 1 o. velloy 4 %.c. Syriip. New Orleans open kettle 256640c miged, 1256/20c sugar-house. 206355c Teas black, 30665c; green, 20635c Teas black, 30665c; green, 2066 50c. Rice, heati, 6c; choice, 54g. Sait, dairy, sacks, \$1.35; do. bbis., \$2.25; tec cream, 90c; common, 70c. Cheese full cream, 11(6114;c. Matches 656, 50d. 200s. \$1.30661,75; 300s. \$2.75. Soda boxes, 6c. Crackers, soda, 54gc; cream, 7c; gjuger sanas, 84g. Candy common stick, 64gc; fancy 12(6124;c. Oysters, F. W. \$1.75; L. W. \$1.25. Powder, rifle, \$2.75. Sho \$1.30.

11.30.

New York, April 9—Coffee, options closed quiet 5@ 20 points up; April 9—May 12 25% 12.90; June 12.40; September 11.10@11.15; December 10.60@10.65; spot Rio duibeut send; No. 7 13%. Sugar, raw firm but quiet; fair refibing 3%; refined firm and unchanged; off A 4 13.16@5; standard A 5%; cut lost and crushed 6; powdered 5%; granulated 5%; cutes 43.16. Molasses, foreign nominal; New Orleans in fair demand and firm; open kettle, good to choice 27@37. Rice firm and fairly active; domestic lair to extra 3@5%; Japan 4@4%.

Provisiona.

Atlanta. April 9 — Cleur rivallet, boxet, 5½% fee-cured bellies, 7½%. Sugar cured hams, 10@12c; California 7½c. Erenkfast bacon, 8@10c. Lard, best quality. 6½c; recond quality, 5½c; compound, 6c. 8t; Louis, April 9 — Pork, standard mees 84.75. Lard, prime steam, 4.90. Drv salt meats shoulders 4.50:long clear 4.75:clear ribs 4.75:short clear 4.57½; clear ribs 5.90: hort clear 5.57½. ribs 5.50; ≥hort clear 5.50.

New York, April 9—Pork slow and steady: old mess \$9.00(@9).50. Middles nominal: short clear — Lard active and nominal: western steam 5.35; oity steam 4.90 €4.90; options, May 5.40.

Chicago, April 9—Cash quotations were as follows; May sork §4.40@8.50. Lard 5.02 ½ €5.05. Short ribs, 100 se 4.50 €4.60. Drv sait shoulders, boxed 4.50 €4.60. Graph to 1.2 ½ 5.00 €4.62 ½ 5.00 €4.62 ½ 5.00 €4.62 ½ 5.00 €4.62 ½ 5.00 €4.60 Cincinnati April 9 -Pork firm; mess \$9.00. Lard quiet; steam leat 5.50; kettle 5.50. Bacon quiet; shoulders 5.00; short rib5.25; short clear sides 5.50.

Naval Stores.

Savannah, April 9 — Turpentine firm at 25% for regulare; sales 389 casks: receipts 786 — Rosin firm: sales 2,000 bils; receipts 2,020 i. A. Band C 41,20; D 41,36; E 41,46; F 41,50; G 41,50; H 41,50 @1,55; I 41,56; K 41,70; M 41,80; N 41,90; windowglass \$2,06; waterwhite \$2,1a, waterwhite \$2.10.
Wilmington. April 9—Rosin steady: strained \$1.40 good strained \$1.46: spirits turnentine steady: machine \$25½; irregulare 25: tarquiet at 90; crude turnentine dull, hard \$1.30; solt \$1.70; virgin \$1.90.

Atlanta, Ga. April 9.—Carload lots are quoted as follows:

Horses—Plugs, \$20@\$35; plain workers, \$30@\$50; good drivers, \$50@75; extra drivers, \$80@\$125., Mules—14 to 14½ hands. \$50@\$65; 14½ to 15, \$10@\$15; 15 to 15½, \$80@\$100; 15½ to 16, \$100@\$15.

Live Stock.

Chienge. April 9 - Cattle slow and 10c lower receipt-11,000; common to extra steers \$3.30 fd. 4.75 stockers and feeders \$3.00 fd. 8.5; cows and bulis\$1.00 (83.50) Texains\$2.25 fd. 4.15; western rangers -- Hog firm sind on higher early, closing easy; receipts \$15,000 heavy tacking and shipping lots \$4.65 fd. 8.5; common to choice mixed \$3.65 fd. 8.5; common to choice mixed \$3.65 fd. 9.5; choice assorted \$3.90 fm; receipts \$1.000; interior to choice \$3.00 fm; receipts \$1.000; interior to choice \$3.00 fd. 9.0; lambs \$3.00 fd. 70.

Country Froduce.

Atlanta. April 9 — Elge, 10 n Ruits; western creamery. 22@24c; fancy Tennessee, 18@20c; choice 12½c Georgia, 12½@36c. Live poutry—Turkeys 12% 12½c. Ph; hens 23@25c; pring chickens 20@27½c ducks 25@27½c. Dressed poutry—Turkeys 17½@18c; ducks, 16@18; chickens 8@13c. Tristi polatices—Burcank, \$1.50@11.75 Pbi; 50@55c Pbu; Tennessee, 30@40c Pbu. Sweet potatoes, 85@75 Pbu. Honey, strained, 8@10c; in tha comb, 10@12½c. Unions, 60@75c Pbu.; 3d bb., 42.00@2.50. Cabbage, 2@2½c.

Fruits and Confectioneries.

Atlania, April 9 — Apples \$4,00@4.50 % bbl Jemous, Messina \$2.75@3.00, Oranges, Jamaica \$3.25@3.75, Cocoanuts, 33-c. Pincapples, crates; 612 doz., \$2.00@2.50; 4 doz., \$4.00@4.50. Bananas, straights, \$1.25@1.50; cults 75c@\$1.00. Pigs 11.65 13-c. Cults 75c@\$1.00. Pigs 11.65 13-c. Beghorn citron. 13c. Nuts, almonds, 18c; pecans, 73@8c Brasil, 73@8c; fiberts, 11%c; walnuts, 10@11c; mixed nuts, 8@10c Peanuts Virginia electric light. 5@6tc; fancy handpicked, 33@6c; Nitoh Carolina, 3@4c; Georgia, 3@34c.

Petition for Incorporation.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—To the Superior Court of Said County: The petition of Frank L. Lewis, James I. Dessette, Arthur Green, of Marion county, Indiana; A. J. West, S. W. Wilkes, C. T. Kramer, aver that they have associated themselves together and des're to be incorporated under the laws of the state of Georgia. The object of this association is to make The object of this association is to make pecuniary gain and profit for themselves and those who may become associated with them in this enterprise of manufacturing bleycles, fence, fence material, foundry and general manufacturing business. The particular business they propose to carry on is the manufacture and sale of bicycles, iron and wire fence and fence material and to conduct a general

pose to carry on is the manufacture and sale of bicycles, iron and wire fence and fence material and to conduct a general foundry and manufacturing business.

They have adopted as a corporate name "The Atlanta Bicycle and Machine Works," and the principal office for doing business will be in the city of Atlanta, in said county and state, with the right of doing business at such other place or places as may become necessary for the confluct of the business of said corporation.

The amount of the capital stock to be one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) divided into 1,000 shares of the par value of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) divided into 1,000 shares of the par value of one hundred dollars (\$100) each.

Petitioners pray that under the corporate name of "The Atlanta Bicycle and Machine Works" their associates, successors and assigns may be created a body corporate and politic for the term of twenty years with the privilege of renewal at the expiration of that time.

They pray that said corporation may have the power to sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded, have, hold and enjoy real and personal property and to sell the same. To manufacture bicycles, fence and fence material and conduct a general manufacturing business and enjoy cill buildings, machinery and appliances that may be necessary or useful for carrying en the business of the above described corporation.

To adopt by-laws necessary or conveni-

the hustness of the above described corporation.

To adopt by-laws necessary or convenient for its own government not inconsistant with the constitution and laws and appoint all officers and agents that may be
necessary or convenient for the transuction of its business.

B. F. NYSEWANDER,
apr 10-4t fri Attorney for Petitioners.

AUCTION OF ALUMINUM

IN THE GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Friday and Saturday, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., all day and evening there will be a continual sale of full line of Aluminum Goods without reserve. Now is your time to invest in cooking utensils at your own price. Certainly they are the finest line ever displayed and put on sale, and every article guaranteed as represented: that they won't tarnish, rust, corrode nor scorch.

The finest grade of goods—such as Opera Glasses, Lorgnettes, Chafing Dishes, 5-O'Clock Tea Kettles, and many designs in Tea Sets, as well as good Aluminum Tableware, will be offered in the evening of both days.

You shouldn't miss this opportunity of investing.

Every particle of the metal is mined in this state, in Bartow county-sixty miles above us. It is one of the greatest products of the state of Georgia, and people here should know more about it.

Don't fail to visit us either FRIDAY or SATURDAY.

J. F. BASSETT

STEVE JOHNSON & CO., Auctioneers. Grand Opera House

SURPLUS, \$100,000.

山市社会

It will be tians to lear ticle in the America, the in Chicago, well Boyd, of Captain I article treatert and artis "American apt to registrent originment—a

apt to regard plishment—a practiced sp Then there impatience it tional haste perficial and to give the ship which those other have not work mere

work, merenot lingeront its ambeauty wittruth. This
"In many
it has been
cause, that
talents who
none have
way essent
That the ias awallow
fluences th
ous drawin
enchain his
the insolv
if rench sci
"All thes
or less mo-

W. A. HEMPHILL, SAM'L YOUNG, Vice J. C. KIRKPATRICK, Cashier, President. CHAS, RUNNETTE, Presidents.

The Atlanta Trust and Banking Co Corner Alabama and Broad Streets, Atlanta, Ga.

Accounts of firms, corporations and individuals solicited on terms consistent will regitimate banking.

J. C. KIRKPATRICK.

DIRECTORS: SAMUEL YOUNG. JOE F. GATINS. GEORGE VINSHIP. A. L. HOLBROOK. CHARLES RUNNETTE. Q. W. PARROTT, Pres. C. A. COLLIB R, Vice Pres.

Our large resources and special is ellities enable us to receive on a vorable terms accounts of Banks. Cor porations, Firms and individual special attention is called to our mag nificent system of Safe Deposit Boundhick will be reuted at reduced prices. Drafts issued on all parts Europe. Interest paid on time deposits.

GET YOUR . . . BLANK BOOKS, LEDGERS Journals, Cash Books Binding,

ELECTROTYPING. The Franklin Printing and Publishing Company. OEO. W. HARRISON, Manager, (State Printer.) ATLANTA, GA.

Consult them before placing your orders.

ATLANTA, GA.

FOR THE CURE OF LIOUOR, OPIUM, MORPHINE, COCAINE, TOBACCO and CIGARETTE HABITS. Adopted by the United States Government. For information address Keeley Institute, Atlanta, Ga. New Sanitarium corner Jackson and Pine Sts.

FINANCIAL. PAINE-MURPHY CO.

J. C. KNOX, Manager 2 South Pryor street (Jackson building), telephone 375. Orders executed over pri-vate wires for Cotton, Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions. Local securities bought and sold. Correspondence solicited.

CAPITAL, \$400,000.

ANNOUNCEMENTS. FOR SHERIFF.
Subject to the action of the democratic primary to be held June 6, 1896, for sheriff, J. J. Barnes. Deputies, A. W. Hill, M. N. Blount, W. D. Greene, E. A. Donahoo, H. D. Austin, Dick Clarke.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE. FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the legislature from Fulton county, subject to the democratic primary, to take place on June 6th.

JOHN M. SLATON. I am a candidate for representative from

Fulton county for the next general assembly, subject to the action of the democratic primary election, June 6, 1896.

WILLIAM P. HILL. I announce myself a candidate for member of the house of representatives from Fulton county in the next general assembly, subject to the action of the democratic primary, to be held on June 6, 1896.

T. B. FELDER, JR.

I am a candidate for representative from Fulton county in the next general assem-bly, subject to the action of the primary to be held 6th June, 1896. CLARENCE KNOWLES. I am a candidate to represent Fulton county in the next general assembly, subject to the action of the primary to be held June 6, 1896.

W 11. PATTERSON.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER Joseph Thompson is announced as a candidate for county commissioner from the nort side, subject to the democratic primary June 6th.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR
I announce myself a candidate for the office of tax collector of Fulton county, subject to the primary election on the 6th day of June.

A. P. STEWART.

FOR CORONER I hereby announce myself as candidate for coroner of Fulton county, subject to the primary election to be held June 6, 1896, and I solicit the support of my friends.

Mr. J. M. Paden, the present coroner, will not be a candidate for re-election; but will give me his earnest support. Respectfully, W. H. BETTIE.

FOR ORDINARY. I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the office of ordinary of Fulton county, subject to the primary election to be held June 6, 1896. If elected, I promise a faithful, fair and efficient discharge of the dutles of the office.

WM. H. HULSEY.

April 2, 1896.

April 2, 1896.

I respectfully announce to the voters of Fulton county that I am a candidate for re-election to the position of ordinary, subject to the primary of June 6, 1896. My record is before you: if again honored I shall bring all my ability and experience to a full and satisfactory discharge of the duties of this important office.

W. L. CALHOUN. FOR COUNTY TREASURER.
'I am a candidate at the primary on June 6, for the nomination for re-election to the office of county treasurer.
C. M. PAYNE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the primary June 6th. If elected, I tromise a thorough business-like administration of the office. FRANK N. MALONE.

The friends of Mr. John H. James announce him as a candidate for treasurer of Futon county, subject to the action of the democratic primary June 6th. NASHVILLE AND EVANSVILLE
Over the L. & N. - E. & T. H. - C. & E. I. R. R.'s
Solid Vestibuled Trains with Elegant Dining Service.
TARE THE "NASHVILLE & CHICAGO LIMITED."



AND ALL PRINCIPAL
CITIES IN THE WEST, NORTH AND NORTH-WEST
WISCONSIN AND MIGHIGAN SUMMER RESORTS,
Bouble Daily Service to sud from Albaia and the South,
4 B. CUTLER, C. G. A.,
F. P. JEFFRIES, G. P. A.
ETLANYA, GA.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's Office, April 8, 1896. Philip T. Muller has applied for exemption of personalty, and I will pass upon the same at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 30th Jay of April, 1896, at my office. W. L. CALHOUN, Ordinary.

Railway Schedules

Southern Railway Company. Southern Railway Company.

No. Arrive Frow—
No. Depart To—
13 Brun-Jackvile 5 60 am *13 Oincinnatii. 6 ib in
145 Washington. 5 20 am *13 Oincinnatii. 6 ib in
145 Washington. 5 20 am *13 Birmingham. 6
145 Chaitanooga. 6 40 am *8 Brunswick. 7
140 am *12 Richmond. 7 50 am
141 Richmond. 7 50 am
142 Richmond. 7 50 am
143 Brort Valley. 10 50 am *9 Chaitanooga. 2 00 on
143 Grenville, Nissil. 46 am *10 Macon. 4 11 om
140 Chaitanooga. 3 ib pm *37 Grinville,Miss. 4 15 pm
140 Chaitanooga. 3 ib pm *37 Grinville,Miss. 4 15 pm
150 Richmond. 3 55pm 18 Lola. 4 35 om
151 Brunswick. 7 50 pm *25 Tailapoosa. 5 15 pm
152 Brimingham. 10 00pm *7 Chaitanooga. 5 15 pm
153 Brimingham. 10 00pm *7 Chaitanooga. 10 3 pm
146 Cincinnati. 10 40 pm *26 Washington. 11 15 pm
146 Cincinnati. 10 40 pm *26 Washington. 11 15 pm

Atlanta and West Point Railroad. No. ARRIVE FROM— No. DEPART TO—
12 Newnan 7 35 am *35 Selma 5 35 am
14 College Park ... 10 00 am 11 College Park ... 8 12 am
253 Montgomery ... 11 do am 13 Palmetto ... 11 80 am
16 Falmetto ... 2 20 pm *33 Montgomer ... 11 50 am
16 College Park ... 3 60 pm 15 College Park ... 2 30 pm
24 Selma ... 6 30 pm *37 Selma ... 4 20 pm
24 Selma ... 11 05 pm 17 Newnan 5 45 pm
125 Newnan ... 10 20 am 127 Newnan 1 00 pm

Western and Atlantic. No. ARRIVE FROM— NO. DEPART TO—

*3 Nashville 700 am *2 Nashville 805 am

75 Marietta 830 am *5 Chattanooga 300 pm

77 Rome. 10 15 am 72 Rome. 420 pm

*5 Chattanooga 1 40 pm 74 Marietta 530 pm

*1 Nashville 7 30 pm *4 Nashville 820 pm Georgia Railroad.

Tho Georgia Midland Railway.

Daily. Sunday only. Others daily except Sunday. Atlanta and New Orleans Short Line

Middle Gaprgia and Atlantin.

ATLANTA & WEST POINT RAILROAD CO. The Great Quick Through Line via Montgomery

SOUTH No. 35 No. 37 No. 17
BOUND. Daily Daily Daily ex sun I.v Atl'nta 5 35 a m 4 20 pm 5 45 p m Ar Newn'n 6 45 a m 5 24 pm 7 45 p m Ar L'Gr'ge 7 46 a m 6 22 pm Ar W P'nt 8 16 a m 6 48 pm Ar Ope'ka 9 00 a m 7 25 pm Ar Col'bus 10 16 a m Ar Margy 10 46 a m 9 20 pm Ar Seima. 11 30 pm Ar Pensa'a 6 10 p m 5 30 am Ar Mobile 4 10 p m 3 05 am Ar N Orl's 8 30 p m 7 35 am Ar Ho'ton 8 45 a m 10 50 pm NORTH | No. 38 | Daily | No. 34 | BOUND, | Daily | Ex.Sun | Daily | Lv H'ston 8 50 a m Lv NOri's 7 50 p m Lv Mobile 12 20 a m Lv P'cola 11 25 p m Lv Selma Lv M'rby 6 20 a m Lv Col'b's

GEO. C. SMITH.

Pres't and Gen'l Mgr.

Gen'l Pass. Agent,
GEO. W. ALLEN. Trav. Pass. Agent,
12 Kimball House, Atlanta, Georgia

7 40 a m 13 30 p m 10 10 a m 15 45 p m 12 50 p m

No. 37 and 38 Vestibule Train, Sleeping and Dining Cars, New York and New Or cans. No. 35 and 36 U. S. Mail Train, Buffet Sleeping Cars, New York and New Orleans.

"We ma
life to give
ties in
the matter
must following, and
edge of
doubt but
has dawn
foi things
"Perhap
arrivides
ber of ar
which he
eamen a
United S
establishes
to ernme
i have
in Frence
all the s
been pun
know the
this that
and estat
measure
demnatio
"In eve
can we frence
and the s
been pun
know the
this that
and estat
measure
demnatio
"In eve
can we frence
and the
can we frence
the
can we frence
the
can we frence
and the
space we
goeh arti
af thous
frence
This is
perane
such an
posal of
apace w
of poke
parts, o
so pers
selves
fuffy,
frizz
hack of
forehea
face no
will be
the pot
trying,
permiss
reinsta
Bang
head
prettier
studies
The

pera House.

00,000.

SARETTE HABITS.

te, Atlanta, Ga.

e Sts.

Company

DEPART TO. Railway Co.

oint Railroad. DEPART TO—
Selma. 5 35 am
College Park. 8 319 am
Palmetto 11 50 am
Montromerv. 2 16 pm
College Park. 2 30 pm
Selma. 420 pm
Newnan 5 45 pm
Newnan 100 pm

Atlantic. ilroad.

Air-Line. 0. DEPART TO— 02 Washington...11 45 m 38 Norfolk...... 8 10 pm land Railway.
RY. CO. TO GRIFFIN.) S. DEPART TO— Sumbus 738 am Jumbus 430 pm and Atlantin. filledgeville...... 7 15 am filledgeville...... 10 45 pm ers daily except Sunday. rleans Short Line

DINT RAILROAD CO. Line via Montgomery and the Southwest. March 29th, 1896. 37 | No. 17 | No. 33 | Daily ex sun

| pm | 5 45 pm | 2 15 pm | pm | 7 45 pm | 3 41 pm | pm | ... 4 49 pm | pm | ... 5 18 pm | 6 00 pm | pm 8 35 p m

e Train, Sleeping and New Or'eans.
Train, Buffet Sleeping
Orleans. JNO. A. GEE Gen'i Pass. Agent. Trav. Pass. Agent. ILANTA, GEORGIA

Beware "this is as good as" or "the same as Pearline." IT'S FALSE—Pearline is never peddled, if your grocer sends james Pyle, New York.

THE WORLD OF WOMEN



It will be of especial interest to Atlan-tians to learn that the most interesting ar-ticle in the March number of Arts for heart of the pretty girl, who has found it LAmerica, that bright art journal published in Chicago, is from the pen of Nannie Sea-well Boyd, the charming and gifted wife of Captain Isaac S. Boyd, of Atlanta. The article treats most cleverly of American

article treats most cleverly of American art and artists.

"Americans," says the writer, "are too apt to regard art as a sort of off-hand accom plishment—a thing to be taken up and practiced spasmodically at odd moments. Then there is the old, unconquered, inborn impatience for immediate results; that national haste which too often makes us superficial and insincere. We are unwilling to give the fifteen years to our apprentices. to give the fifteen years to our apprentice-ship which Raphael, Michael Angelo and those other great giants gave to theirs. We have not the quiet, tender love for our work merely for the work's sake; we will not linger over it, reverently working out its smallest perfections and subtlest

beauty with infinite patience, zeal and truth. This, indeed, is our undoing!
"In many criticisms upon this subject it has been charged, and often with just cause, that despite the many men of great talents who have studied in foreign schools mone have produced work which is in any way essentially American in character. That the individuality of a man's talent as swallowed up by the overwhelming in-fluences that enthrall him. The marvel-ous drawing and unapproached technique enchain his imaginations, until he falls into the insolvent materialism of the modern

"All these discouraging facts, in more or less modified forms, do exist, but there are now certainly men who have acquired all the facile power and deep secrets of the great foreign schools, who have put into immortal work some divine truth and beauty which lies close to our own national heart; and in Whistler, Innes, Sargent, Alexander, Church, Vedder, Abbey and many others, we have distinctive types,

Alexander, Church, Vedder, Abbey and many others, we have distinctive types, who have defied all foreign influence in thought and method, and have wrought out in their own untrammeled ways pictures of strange, myriad-formed beauty and poetry, whose glory shall be forever the glory of America.

"We may be too young in our national life to give evidence of our full possibilities in aesthetics; but we know the material, intellectual and spiritual must follow each other in logical succession, and no one who has a present knowledge of American art and artists can doubt but that a marvelous renaissance has dawned for us, which means wonderful things for America.

"Perhaps the most important sign of any widespread growth in art is the number of art leagues; museums and schools which have sprung up in almost every eastern and important western city in the United States, all of which have been established and sustained without state or government aid.

"I have frequently seen the statement in French journals, that three-fourths of all the salon pictures for ten years have been purchased by Americans; and we know that it is through great work like this that public taste becomes educated and establishes a standard whereby it may measure and weigh its approval or condemnation.

"In every branch of art we have much

measure and weigh its approval or con-demnation.

"In every branch of art we have much to encourage us! In wood engraving we excel other nations; in illustrations, what country can claim a Parsons, Abbey, Ved-der, Rheinhart, Remington, Gibson? Where can we find elsewhere the number of mag-tazines which gather the exquisite work of such artists, only to send it out to the tens of thousands who, as vet, know so little that wondrous world, that enchanted fairyland of art!"

Features of Spring Coiffures.

Remarkable innovations in spring milli-nery have brought about striking revivals of old styles of hairdressing. The pompadour, which is periodically revived and after a while promptly discarded, is the most conspicuous feature of the spring

pearance of the poke bonnet, which affords such an opportunity for some original dis-posal of the front hair to fill up the vacant space within the brim. So the wearers of pokes will dispense with their demure parts, or brush back the curls they have so persistently coaxed, and devote themselves to making their front locks very fuffy, though with no suggestion of a frizz. Then it will be carefully drawn back over a roll, with perhaps a wee curl or two escaping here and there, and if the forehead is just the right shape and the face not too broad or too long-the effect will be very pretty indeed. Otherwise the pompadour will be found somewhat trying, and the curly bang, which is also permissible with a poke, will be gladly

Bangs may be worn lower on the fore-head than formerly, loose curis being prettier and much more stylish than a studied effect or a thick, heavy frizz.

The fashion of wearing the hair parted Bangs may be worn lower on the fore-head than formerly, loose cur's being prettier and much more stylish than a studied effect or a thick, heavy frizz.

of the face has become so dear to the heart of the pretty girl, who has found it becoming, that she will not willingly re-linquish it. If she refuses to submit to pompadour, however, she must wear the pompadour, however, she must wear her waves even lower than ever, wholly covering the ears. Extremes have full sways in matters of hairdressing, and the forehead is either entirely exposed or

completely covered. Stiff knobs of hair at the back of the head have passed utterly out of vogue, low coils at the neck being the approved style. The rim of the poke or drooping masses of flowers cover so much of the head that if the coils are to show at all they must of necessity be placed low on the neck. The fashion is a becoming one, however, and has a tendency to make a woman look young, which will recom-mend it.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bailey Thomas have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Lulie, to Mr. Henry Ticknor DeBardlaben, for the evening of Wednesday, April 22d, at 8 o'clock, at St. Luke's church. The reception cards, for 8:30 o'clock, accompany the invitations sent the intimate friends of both families, and the event will be of great social importance, both in Georgia and Alabama.

The popularity of both parties renders the particulars of the Lowe-English wed-ding of great interest in society. It is seidom that a wedding is the subject of such general congratulation, for the friends of Miss Lowe and Mr. English seem to share their evident happiness, and they are receiving hearty congratulations on all sides. The wedding will be at high noon at St. Luke's church, and will be followed by a wedding breakfast at the residence of the bride. The affair through-out will be characterized by that good taste and elegance for which Mrs. Lowe's

entertainments are always distinguished. Mrs. John William Grant has issued cards for the Wednesdays of April, from 4 till 7 o'clock. These receptions will be among the most elegant affairs of the after Easter season.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. R. A. Harris entertained the Thursday Euchre Club, and several invited guests at a delightful card party. At the end of the game delicious refreshments were served, and the prizes awarded the lucky winners. The first prize, an exquisite cut glass vase, was won by Mrs. O'Hear; the second, a handpainted picture frame, was won by Mrs. Amorous; the visitor's prize, an exquisite silver brush, was presented Mrs. Wells. Mrs. Sciple won the consolation prize, a hand-painted dish, and Mrs. Cheney, the booby prize, a dainty little bonbon box.

Among the guests were: Mrs. Martin

Amorous, Mrs. E. L. Tyler, Mrs. Tanner,

Mrs. Chenke, Sci. 1. Mrs. Charles Sciple, Mrs. Swift, Mrs. Wells, Mrs. Hugh Hagan, Mrs. Hutche, Mrs. Fitten, Mrs. Arthur Locke, Mrs. O'Hear, Mrs. George C. Smith, Mrs. Holt, Mrs. Grant Wilkins and others.

Miss Ellison, the guest of Mrs. Hugh Hagan, left for her home in Richmond yesterday.

Miss Julia Wilkins, who as been with Mrs. MacAllen B. Marsh for several weeks, will return home next week. Mrs. DeWitt Clinton Bacon arrives in

the city Saturday night and will be the guest of Mrs. Martin Amorous.

The friends of Mrs. Walter Taylor will regret to hear of her illness for the past few days at the residence of her sister, Mrs. T. D. Meador. Miss Joan Clark is enjoying a delightful

visit to Baltimore. The Thursday Euchre Club meets next

Mrs. Jack Cutler entertains the Friday Euchre Club this afternoon. The friends of Miss Coribel Venable will

be delighted to hear that she is very much better and will be out in a few days. Mr. Joseph H. Johnson, Jr., president of the Copperfield Club, leaves next week for Europe, where he will spend the sum-

Waycross, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—On Tuesday night a magnificent ball with an elegant supper was given at the Southern hotel, under the auspices of the Waycross lodge of the Order of Railway Conductors. The dancing began at about 9 o'clock in the

It Hurts

nothing that can be washed or cleaned-Pearline. The purest soap is no safer—the poorest soap is no cheaper. It is more effective than the strongestit is more convenient than the best. Pearline saves labor and wear in washing clothes

or cleaning house. A few cents will let you try it; common sense will make you use it.

dining room were elaborately decorated with evergreens and innumerable varieties of flowers. The dancing was under the direction of Mr. Charles Hohenstein, a prominent young merchant and society man of this city. Sanford Listers' orchestra furnished the music.

A rate of one fare for the round trip was given to Waycross from all stations on the Plant system on account of the ball. Several hundred persons were present. They came from various places on the Plant system lines, and many of them were conductors and other classes of sailroad people. The affair was both a financial and social success.

Savannah, Ga., April 9.-(Special.)-Mr. Savannah, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—Mr. Barron Carter was married yesterday to Miss Ellen Hall Falligant, daughter of Judge Robert Falligant, at the residence of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by 'Rev. Robb White. Mr. John Carter, brother of the groom, was best man, and Miss Irene Withers and Miss Meta Heyward were the bridesmaids. They have gone to Asheville and Richmond on a bridal tour.

Wednesday evening, at the home of the ride's father, Miss Annie Dodd was married to Mr. William Chester Warren. The wedding was a quiet one and only the immediate relatives were present. The cere-mony was solemnized by Dr. Roberts, the pastor of Trinity church. Miss Dodd and Mr. Warren are both well known in this city and have many friends who extend to them their hearty congratulations. The bridal couple left for Florida. They will remain there for ten days and then, returning to Atlanta, will make it their

Auburn, Ave., April 9 - (Special.) - At the residence of Mr. J. H. Williamson, Mr. T. P. Flanagan was yesterday married to Miss Emma Williamson, Dr. J. W. Rush officiating. The couple left for Montgomery, where Mr. Flanagan will engage in the sale of musical instruments.

THE FIRE ANNEX READY.

ADDITION TO ENGINE HOUSE NO. 4 IS COMPLETED.

Cap Joyner's New Arrangement Will Lighten the Work of Some of the Firemen.

The work of erecting the new annex to vo. 4 engine house has been completed and the house is now ready to receive the two new companies as soon as the council grants the appropriation asked for by Chier Joyner.

Besides adding the annex the house has

een entirely overhauled and now presents a pretty and neat appearance. It has been painted in an attractive color, the painting being done by the firemen. The engine house is 197 feet long and is possibly the longest engine house in the United States. There is room in it for four fire appara-tuses, eight horses and about twenty men. The annex was built with the extra ap-propriation that was granted Chief Joyner by the council. The idea in building it was to place in it the old chemical engine and hook and ladder truck. When the exposi-tion department was put into service in the city the old chemical engine and truck were thrown out of service and stored away for future use. If the city council grants the appropriation the engine and truck now located at fire headquarters will be relieved of a large amount of work. They now answer every alarm received by the depart ment, but under the system that Chief Joy-ner hopes to arrange, the work will be divided evenly. The engine and truck at headquarters will answer all alarms on the scuth side, and the ones to be stationed at No. 4 engine house will answer all on the

north side. partment has done more work than it has ever done before in that length of time, and ever done before in that length of time, and on account of the smallness of the department the men and horses have been almost completely worn out. Had the old chemical engine and truck been in service at No. 4 engine house, this would have been averted, all of which goes to show how badly they are needed.

Besides making room for the two apparatuses a shop which will meet all the requirements of the department, has been put in. All the work on broken apparatuses will be done in this shop and a large amount

will be done in this shop and a large amount of money will be saved.

Chief Joyner is to be congratulated on the economy he has practiced in erecting this annex so cheaply and on the earnest manner in which he has upshed forward every plan for protecting the people of Atlanta from lire and there is no reason why the council should not grant him the appropriation he asks for.

GREAT POPULARITY.

Applications Pouring in for the New American Encyclopaedic Dictionary.

American Encyclopaedic Dictionary.

The fame of the New American Encyclopaedic Dictionary has evidently preceded its distribution in the south, for the announcement two days ago that it could be secured has resulted in numerous applications, not only from the city, but remote points.

The evident desire on the part of the public to possess the book has doubtiess been materially augmented because of the fact that it is under the patromage of the press, and the American Nowspaper Syndicate, in order to introduce the work, has offered 200 sets on terms unheard of for so valuable an educational work.

It is published in four large quario volumes of nearly 5,000 pages, with numerous illustrations to explain the definitions, and to secure one of these introductory sets it is only necessary to send \$1 as the first payment, and the complete set will be delivered at once, the balance being payable at the rate of about \$1.25 per month for one year, or at the rate of about 4 cents per day.

This nominal price applies only to the introductory sets, for the subscription price of the book is very much higher.

Even at this latter price the work has practically no competitor, for it is not only the most recent and complete English dictionary extant, but it is also the most comprehensive encyclopedia ever published.

comprehensive encyclopedia ever pub-

lished.
Of course, subjects are not treated at ouch length that one has to wade through page after page to glean a few needful facts. The American Encyclopaedic Dictionary contains all these facts, but they are so concisely arranged that one can easily find them in their proper alphabetical order, and thus the work is a great time saver. ime saver. Even with all this wise condensation the volume of the work much exceeds either Webster or Worcester, and contains 125,000 more words than the former and 134,000 more than the latter.

IN THE CUSTOMS BUILDING.

Bowles Damage Suit Up in the United States Court Yesterday.

The case of Hilliard Bowles against the Richmond and Danville railway, a suit for damages which has been pending in the United States district court for some time, was taken up yesterday morning, but not concluded. Evidence was heard in the case. The railroad company is represented by Mr. Jacob Stewart. Glenn, Slaton & Phillips appear for the plaintiff. The case will go on this morning. Filed His Bond.

Mr. W. A. Wilkins, of Waynesboro, Burke county, filed with the clerk of the United States district court yesterday a bond as receiver in the case of Hayden W Wheeler & Co. against Charles A. Scudder and others, of Athens. The bond is in the sum of \$4,000.

· AUXILIARY TO MEET.

Mrs. Mitchell Calls a Meeting at the Y. M. C. A. This Afternoon Mrs. I. S. Mitchell, president of the La-dies' Auxiliary of the Young Men's Chrisdies' Auxiliary of the Young Men's Christian Association, has called a meeting of the auxiliary to be held in the parlors of the association at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon. She is hopeful that as many members of the association as possible will come. All of the members of the auxiliary v no sold tickets to the entertainment are urged to attend and turn in those on hand or the equivalent in money. Mrs. Mitchell states that she would rather have the money.

Pire Insurance Brokers Will Have To Pay for Every Company Represented.

SO SAYS JUDGE CALHOUN

Is a Case of Great Importance-Will Be Taken to the Supreme Court.

A case of vital importance to the fire insurance brokers of Atlanta was tried before Judge Calhoun at police headquarters yesterday afternoon. The question volved was the legality of the city ordinance requiring a tax of \$50 for every insurance company represented by the local brokers. The trial was intended mostly for a test case and Judge Calhoun decided that the tax should be collected.

The firm of Willcox & McIntyre,

surance brokers, was the plaintiffs the case and the city of Atlanta the de-fendant. It seems that this firm has been doing insurance business in this city with out having paid the required tax for each company they represent. They were therefore served on the 2d instant with a ons to appear before the police

The case seems to be an instance of where the state and municipal laws differ. The plaintiffs, through their attorneys, Glenn & Rountree, filed a petition to pre vent the city from endeavoring to enforce the ordinance requiring the tax; that the said ordinance should be held and declared void and of no effect, and that if the petitioners were subject to any tax whatever, the amount of said tax be asertained and adjudicated by a judgment of the court.

The Law in the Case.

Prior to the 14th day of December, 1894, there was no method under which a fire insurance company could do business in the state of Georgia without making a de-posit of \$2,500 and taking other steps rendered necessary by law. The Venable ac passed in 1891 sought to establish a differ ent method. It created a class of mer known as insurance brokers, and under its terms these brokers were authorized to receive applications from citizens of this state and to forward the same to com-panies outside of the state.

The petition of the plaintiffs states that the broker is the agent of the insured and in no way whatever does he represent the company outside of the state to whom apolication for insurance is made; also that the law states that no penalty whatever shall be incurred by any inspector, ad-juster or other person for participating

bona fide in these transactions. The petition further sets forth that on the 28th day of February, 1896, petitioners being qualified under the law as insurance brokers applied regularly to the comp-troller general for the issuance of a license to qualify them to do business as provided under the Venable act of 1894. The license was duly issued and the names of the companies with which they pro posed to do business were specified and set out in said license.
In 1895 the city of Atlanta passed an or

dinance providing a tax of \$50 on each company represented by the broker, and as the firm was doing business for five companies they would have to pay \$250 on the enforcement of the ordinance.
The petitioners say that the highest icense tax which can be imposed by the city is \$200 per annum, and that for this reason the said ordinance, so far as they

are concerned, is null and void. The petition also states that the ordi-nance taxing insurance brokers \$50 for each company is in violation of the letter of the Venable act because under the terms of said act immediately upon com-pliance with it they have a right to do business without any tax or license from the city of Atlanta and that they are subject to no tax or license other than provided by said act, and that the effort of the city to tax them is in violation of the spirit, purposes and objects of the

act of 1894. The petitioners further allege that the city ordinance is null and void for several reasons; first, because the city has no right to tax the brokers at all; second, because the said tax is not uniform in its operation on the business of insurance brokerage and if executed may exceed the nighest taxing power of the city on a pusiness tax; third, because it may result n taxing the same business twice; and fourth, because the manifest result and effect of the legislation by the city is in the interest of the other class of insurance companies and is really intended to prevent competition with them.

Judge Calhoun Says Nay. Judge Calhoun decided the case in favor of the cfty, which was represented by As-sistant Attorney Westmoreland. This decision, however, by no means decides the point in question, as the case will be taken to the supreme court. Willcox & McIntyre have offered to pay Clerk Phillips \$50 tax, but the amount was refused by him on the for every company represented. The case is of great moment to the fire insurance men of the city and will be watched with

FOR THE CHIEFS OF POLICE.

An Enjoyable Entertainment To Be Given at the Grand.

The entertainment at the Grand on the night of the 23d instant for the purpose of raising money to entertain the chiefs of police of the country, who meet here in national convention next month, will be a most delightful affair. The tickets are now on sale and if present prospects count for anything the theater will be filled with a large and fashionable audience.

The programme consists of some of Atlanta's best musical and literary talent and an enjoyable time is guaranteed to all those an enjoyable time is guaranteed to all those who attend. The convention meets here the 14th of next month, and the local force will exert every possible effort to make their stay in the Gate City a pleasant one.

Chief Connolly Will Greatly Help the Building Inspector.

Chief Connolly has issued an order to the police force that will render incalculable aid to the building inspector. Heretofore his official has had to go all over the new



sion. The following is the order, which explains itself:

"Special Order No. 93.—To aid the building inspector in preventing parties from erecting buildings in the city without permission, as is required by the ordinance, the members of the department are ordered to report in a book kept for the purpose at police headquarters the location of all buildings being repaired or cretted on their beats, so that the building inspect or can inspect the same.

A. B. CONNOLLY,

"Chief of Police."

OFF TO COLUNBUS.

DELEGATION OF LOCAL T. P. A MEN LEAVE

For the Convention-Wil Try To Bring the Next Sesson to This City.

Today at 12 o'clock Mr. Max Robins

president of the Georgia divisio of the Tra velers' Protective Association of America will call the second annual civention of this division to order in Columbus. Yesterday afternoon the deleates from Atlanta left for the convention, There were fifteen of them and all as enthisiastic as possible. They are: J. E. Madox, president of Post B; D. R. Wilder, sectary and treasurer; C. H. Burge, chairm of the hotel committee; E. E. Smith, J. M. Skin-ner, W. H. Jones, J. B. Bouliny, C. I. Branan, H. D. Lipford, E. S. Nesick, G. W. Brooke, P. C. Cashman, A.L. Hendrick, R. H. Lester, E. A. Holms and G

W. Brooke, P. C. Cashman, A. L. Hendrick, R. H. Lester, E. A. Holms and G. W. Coates.

Only the regular annual busiess will come before the convention and te session will last until Saturday night. The selection of a city in which to hold he next annual convention will come up an a hard fight will be made by the Atlanta degation to get Atlanta chosen as the plac. The cities represented at the convenion besides Atlanta are: Macon, Columb s, Augusta and Savannah. Each of the will make a hard fight to get the continuon. The Atlanta delegates will do the best for their city and if they do get Atlanta selected they will entertain the visitor from the other cities in a style that will arpass anything of the kind that has everbefore taken place in this state.

When the convention adjourns ner Saturday night the visiting delegates ill be tendered a banquet the like of which was never before spread in Columbus. The Columbus Post will try its best to give banquet that will never be forgotten by hose who participate in it and from what in be learned beforehand the success will be theirs.

theirs.
The Atlanta delegates took with the mascot a St. Bernard dog belonging t E. O. Miles, of this city. The dog is of the finest specimens in the south a credit to the post that it represents

Atlanta's Delegation. Atlanta's jolly delegation of drum reached the city at 9 o'clock tonight the Georgia Midland railroad and now full possession of the town. They ma trip in a special car and a jollier and r genial crowd of Travelers' Protective sociationists never existed. sociationists never existed. The Atlatians were joined at the Rankin house by a delegation from the local post who extended them a hearty welcome, immediately iter which a light collation was served. The following gentlemen composed the Gate City delegation: J. E. Maddox, predent of Post B; B. C. Cashman, first vieprecident; E. S. Messick, second vice president D. K. Wilder, secretary and treasurer of the State Travelers' Protective Association: E. E. Smith, chairman of the railroad committee of Post B; C. H. Burge, chairman of hotel committee, and C. L. Branan, A. L. Hendrix, R. H. Lester, W. H. Jones, J. G. Bouligny, H. D. Lipferd, W. E. Vance, J. B. Brooks, Ed. Callowty. Three delegates from the Savannah pist also arrived tonight—Arthur W. Solomon, Ed Hett and Sig Lichenstein.

A member of the Atlanta party, not abore menticled, was Christopher Columbus, a large St. Bernard dog, which seems to be the joint property of Mr. E. O. Miles and Post B. The drummers enthusiastically say that he is their mascot.

The state convention of the Traveler Protective Association, which convenes temorice, promises to be a great success a every post will be largely represented. ans were joined at the Rankin house b

TECHS WILL PLAY MERCER. Big Game of Ball Saturday-Will Play

Athens Next Week. There will be a big game of ball in M con Saturday, when the Techs and ta-Mercer university boys will meet. The Tech team will go down to Macon Satur day morning and will play the Mercer team
Saurday afternoon at Baseball park in
Macon. The game will be one of the first
of the season in the Central City and much interest has arisen concerning it.

The Tech's players Scturday are: Smith, catcher; Vaughn or Cox, pitcher; James, first base; Everett, second base; Johns, shortstop; Whitney, third bese; Hart, left field; Hill, certer field; McCall, right field; LaTitte and Shaw, substitutes.

Mercer team: Hughle, pitcher; Sanford, catcher; J. Harris, first base: C. Harris, second base; Overton, third base; Mansfield, shortstop; Arnall, right field; Lee, conter field; DeVaughn, left field; substitutes, Hughes and Wachtel.

The Techs will play the University of Georgia team in Athens on the 18th instant. This game will be a notable one. interest has arisen concerning it.

FAIR AND WARMER.

What the Weather Man Predicts for Us Today. Wintery weather prevailed over north Georgia yesterday. The mean temperature for the day was only 44 degrees, which was just 15 degrees below the normal. With the low temperature and damp easterly winds the weather felt uncomfortably "raw." At

the weather felt uncomfortably "raw." At the hour of observation last night the temperature in Atlanta and at Chicago was identically the same, but judging from the report received, warmer weather is in sight, so that today a rise of at least 10 degrees in temperature may be looked for. The current temperature in Atlanta at 7 o'clock last night was 44 degrees, while at the same hour in Montgomery it was 72 degrees, and at Memphls it was 74 degrees. Washington forecast for Georgia today: Generally fair; warmer in northern portion. Local Report for Yesterday.

Daily mean temperature...... Deficiency of precipitation since Jan. 1st 8.62

Forecast for Today. North and South Carolina—Local rains, followed by fair weather, warmer, southerly winds.
Eastern Florida—Generally fair, followed by local rains in southern portions, easterly winds.
Georgia—Generally fair, warmer in northern portion, southerly winds.
Western Florida—Fair except showers in western portion, southerly winds.

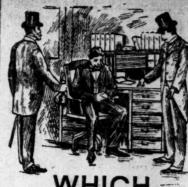
Western Florida—Fair except showers in western portion, southerly winds. Alabama—Generally fair in the interior, probably showers near the coast, warmer in northeast portion, southerly winds. Mississippi, Louisiana and Eastern Texas—Fair except local rains on the coast, southeasterly winds.

Tennessee and Kentucky—Fair, winds shifting to southerly, warmer in central and east portion.

Blood purified, disease cured, sickney by suffering prevented—this is the reco and suffering prevented—this is the reco made each year by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Babies Badly Mixed.

From The Philadelphia Times. Shamokin, April 9.-Mrs. Jane Norto of Irish valley, and her daughter, Mrs. Hannah Foster, each gave birth to a child in the same room at the same time. The family physician placed both bebies in family' physician placed both bebies in one cradle without noticing to whom each one belonged, and they became mixed. Now it is impossible to tell exactly who is the mother of either baby. Mrs. Norton and Mrs. Foster say that they are as much at sea as the poor foctor, and the perplexity of the situation was increased by the fact that one baby is a chubby boy and the other is a robust girl. In appearance they are almost alike, but as Mrs. Mrs. Norton already has several boys she suggested that she take the girl and her daughter the boy. Both admit that they will never know whether Mrs. Norton's girl is a daughter or granddaughter, or whether Mrs. Foster's boy is her son or her brother.



Suppose you were a manufacturer of clothing; suppose two clothiers came to buy clothes; suppose one wanted \$50,000 worth and offered cash and the other \$3,000 worth and offered nothing but an indifferent promise to pay, would you be likely to quote the same prices to each? Which of the two clothiers would you favor in the way of lower price? We always pay cash and buy in large quantities. All the other clothiers don't.

We are saying this merely to let you know where to come for Lowest Prices." We would like for everybody to see those wonderful Clay Worsted Suits at \$8.90. Nothing elsewhere for less than \$12.50 to equal them.

EISEMAN & WEIL 3 Whitehall Street.



HERR SCHARWENKA George Muse DePASQUALI

MISS LOUISE ROMARE Prices-50c., 75c. and \$1. Sale at Grand box office. 'Phone 1,079

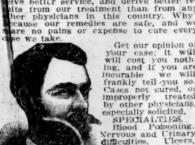
THE World's Fair Museum of Anatomy



Ladivs' Matinee Every Friday from 2 to 6-p. m. on which day a Lady Physi-cian will deom 9 a. m 10 p. m.

rof. S. A. Davis, the well known Ansical Lecturer, 16 Marietta Street.

PUBLIC SERVANTS



difficulties. Cleers, matism and the Diseases of Womankind. YOUNG AND MIDDLE-AGED MANKIND—Remarkable results have followed our oreatment. Years of varied and successful experience in the use of curative methods that we alone own and control for all disorders of mankind lead us to guarantee to all patients, if they can possurpasses the old methods. Try our treatment will afford a cure.

REMEMBER—That there is hope for you. Consult no other as you may waste valuable time. Obtain our treatment at once. LADIES—Who are suffering from diseases pscullar to your sex should certainly try our new method of treatment, which surpasses the old methods. Try our treatment and you will be satisfied.

BLOOD POISON—This terrible disease is treated by us with the latest methods, and our experience at Hot Springs and eastern hospitals enables us to entirely eradicate this terrible poison from the system. The most rapid, safe and effective remedy. A complete cure guaranteed, Mail' treatment given by sending for Symptom Blank—No. 1 for Men. No. 2, for Women. No. 3 or Skin Diseases, No. 4 for Catarrh.

All correspondence answered promptly.

espondence answered promptly. tricity confidential. Medicine sent observation to all parts of the Address or call on DR. HATHAWAY & CO

PETER LYNCH 95 Whitehall and 7 Mitchell Sta Dealer in Foreign and

Dealer in Foreign and
Domestic Wines, Liquors,
Cigars and Tobaccos,
Hardware, Guns, Pistols.
Cartridges and Ammunition; Field and Garden
Seeds in their seasons. A
Perfect: Variety Store.
Orders from city and country
promptly fred at lowest market

Georgia State Lunatic Asylum Ga., April 1, 186 Sealer be rec ved at this institu proposals w is to be sealed and ishing this in addressed, I eville, Ga. Boar



than pleased buyers. Our prices and qual-

ity of goods keep us far in the lead. If

others follow we are satisfied-provided the

people are gainers. Stick this ad in your

Looking Glass and mark it "My Store to

It's ancient history, that little tale about the hat with a high-priced hatter's lable on the inside and the five-dollar bill out of your pocket. Modern economy says \$1.50

Clothing Co.,

MEN'S AND BOYS' OUTFITTERS.

38 Whitehall.

Crescent Bicycles SKY HIGH "



the market and only charge \$50 and \$75 for them. Why pay \$100 when CRESCENTS sell for these prices? F. G. BYRD Manager. WESTERN WHEEL WORKS

38 Peachtree St.



SOUTHERN S Shorthand AND **Business University**

ATLANTA, GA. The largest Business School in the South. Awarded the Silver Medal and Highest Honor by the Cotton States and International Expostion NOW IS THE TIME TO ENTER. Send for Catalogue. Address A. C. BRISCOE, President, Atlanta, Ga.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

Dr. J. A. Childs. Dr. W. L. Champion.
DRS. CHILDS & CHAMPION.
Genito-urinary and rectal diseases. Rooms
201 and 202 Fitten building, Atlanta, Ga.
aprile 12m

PRYOF. L. MYNATT, JR., Insurance and Commercial Law, Atlanta, Ga., Room 708 Temple Court.

promptly fied at lowest market price. Te process.

R. T. Dorsey, P. H. Brewster, Albert Howell DORSEY, BREWSTER & HOWELL,

LAWYERS.

Offices—1, 2, 3, 4 5 and 6 Lowe Building,

(5) Whitehall street, Telephone 59. C. B. REYNOLDS.
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Room 38 Inman building, Atlanta, Ga.
Telephone 255.

HABALSON BLECKLEY.

BLECKLEY & TYLER ARCHITECTS,

TWELVE HUNDRED DOCTORS COMING

The Biggest Convention of the Year Is Booked for May.

THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Full Programme of the Business and Entertainment Features.

THE DIFFERENT PLACES OF THE MEETINGS

Atlanta Medical Society Is Making Arrangements for the Coming of the Men of Science.

The Atlanta Society of Medicine is makment of the 1,200 members of the different medical societies, which will convene in tion of the doctors will be one of the most important ever held in this city.

been at work on the programme of entertainment and business for some time, With two or three minor details excepted the

nch of the main body. Those who se its membership have the title or degree of A. B. They are given that dis-tinction by reason of a special knowledge of surgery.

are twelve sections of the principal association, and during the after-moons those different sections will meet separate session. The morning sessions the main body will be participated in neeting places have been selected, and he subjects to be discussed at each named. visiting doctors will be treated royally

one. The programme contemplates ig barbecue at Lithia Springs and a brilfant barquet at the Capital City Club. Other special features of entertainment are being arranged. The conventions will last from May 3d

open its sessions. It will be called to sions of that association and that of the American Medical Association when in

Where They Will Meet.

The smaller sections of the different so-ieties will hold their meetings at the difwill be held at the Aragon, Kimball, Young Men's Christian Association, courthouse, chamber of commerce and elsewhere.

Places have been designated for the dif-

The local committee which have taken the matter in hand are composed of the garding physicians and surgeons of the different the most successful in many years that are will accommiss that are will accommiss that are the Hartork will accomplish that result. A years to come will Atlanta have within its gates so many brilliant and able men as will be here during the sessions of the medical associations. Men of science, learned in every branch of medical and surgical practice, will come, and the city will be in the hands of the representatives of the most scientific profession of

the world. The headquarters of the associations will be at the Aragon and the Kimball. Special rates have been secured at those places, and other hotels, and the visitors will be comfortably cared for. The local commit-

tees follow:
The Local Committees. Committee of arrangements: Dr. W. F. Westmoreland, chairman; Dr. J. McFad-den Gaston, Jr., secretary; Dr. Lewis Jones, treasurer; Dr. W. S. Elkin, vice

chairman.

Committee on ways and means: Dr. George H. Noble, chairman; Dr. W. C. Jarnigan, Dr. L. B. Grandy, Dr. L. Amster, Dr. C. D. Hurt, Dr. J. H. Crawford, Dr. R. B. Kime.

Committee on entertainment: Dr. W. S. Elkin, chairman; Dr. R. B. Ridley, Dr. W. P. Nicolson, Dr. J. W. Calhoun, Dr. D. W. Bizzell.

D. W. Bizzell.
Committee on registration: Dr. J. Mc-Falden Gaston, Jr., chairman; Dr. L. A. Felder, Dr. L. P. Stephens.

Felder, Dr. L. P. Stephens.
Committee on reception: Dr. Hugh Hagan, chairman; Dr. J. S. Tood, Dr. C. O. Hardin, Dr. Bernard Wolf.
Committee on exhibits: Dr. L. H. Jones, chairman; Dr. J. C. Olmstead, Dr. W. S. Kendrick, Dr. W. L. Chanclon.
The Medical Association of Georgia will meet in Augusta about the time of the convening of the associations in Atlanta, and that association and the Pharmaceutical

Another

Victory

have awarded to COTTOLENE the highest award

in the United States, Canada, Great Britain and Ireland,

or on the Continent of Europe, it has taken the highest

award. Its progress has been one uninterrupted march

but they stand no chance in open competition with

over all other materials for shortening and frying.

The Committee of Jurors at the Atlanta Exposition

Wherever Cottolene has been exhibited, whether

Counterfeits may deceive the public for a while

In all cases see that the trade mark—Cottolene with

steer's head in a cotton-plant wreath—is on each package

and do not be hoodwinked by worthless counterfeit

THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY,

St. Louis, Chicago, New Orleans, Baltim Fra M.

Cottolene is put up in one, three, and five pound tins. MADE ONLY BY

Association of Georgia will co-operate with the Atlanta Society of Medicine in making the conventions successful. These organi-zations will lend every aid possible in en-tertaining and caring for such a large body

Some of the Features.

Some of the Features.

In the Gate City Gurad's armory there will be an exhibit of drugs and surgical instruments. Every kind of drug, almost, and all of the latest improved instruments of surgery will be placed on view. This feature of the conventions will be one of the most important of all.

On Wednesday of the convention week the big barbecue at Lithia Springs will be given. A special train will leave Atlanta at 1 o'clock for the springs, returning at a convenient hour in the afternoon. Mr. Marsh has planned to make the barbecue something never surpassed in the south. The famous Mexican band will be in Atlanta and will provide music on the barbecue special and at the grounds.

Dr. Henry M. Hurd, of Baltimore, Md., of the Johns Hopkins hospital, is president of the Johns Hopkins hospital, is president of the American Academy of Medicine. He ne of the most famed men in the

ntyre, of Easton, Pa., is permanent secre Dr. E. E. Green, of Easton, Pa., is as-

sistant secretary. American Medical Association.

The officers of the American Medica sociation are as follows: Maryland.
Second Vice President—John C. LeGrand, Alabama.
Third Vice President-A. P. Clarke, Mas-

Fourth Vice President—T. P. Satter-white, Kentucky.

Treasurer—Henry P. Newman, 36 Wash-ington street, Chicago.
Secretary—William B. Atkinson, Penn-Assistant Secretary-J. McFadden . Gas-

two or three minor details excepted the full programme has been mapped out, and it is given to the public this morning for the first time.

The American Medical Association is the principal body of doctors of the several which will convene about the same time. It has a very large membership, and is the representative body of the medical profession.

The American Academy of Medicine is a branch of the main body. Those who have the title of the mine to the main body. Those who have the title of the mine to the main body. Those who have the title of the mine to the main body. Those who have the title of the measure of the measurements and the measurements are the measurements.

Assistant Secretary—J. McPadden.Gaston, Jr., Georgia.

Librarian—George E. Wire, Newberry library, Chicago.

Chalrman Committee of Arrangements—Ohio (unexpired term), 1896; E. E. Mondragoments—Significant the control of the measurements of th

The Twelve Sections.

The twelve different sections or branches of the American Medical Association and the officers and the place of meeting of each follow:

1. Practice of Medicine-William E.

1. Practice of Medicine—William E. Quine, Chicago, Ill., chairman; De Lancey Pochester, Buffalo, N. Y., secretary; 250 members; will meet in the lower hall of the Young Men's Christian Association.

2. Surgery and Anatomy—C. A. Wheaton, St. Paul, Minn., chairman; W. L. Estes, South Bethlehem, Pa., secretary; 690 members; will meet in the main music hall of 3. Obstetrics and Diseases of Wo Tabor Johnson, Washington, D. C. man: Reuben Peterson, Grand 4. Ophthalmology—Lucien Howe, Buffalo, N. Y., chairman: Frank Allport, Minneapolis, Minn., secretary, will meet at the

Aragon hotel.
5. Laryngology and Otology—G. V. Woolen. Indianapolis, chairman; M. R. Ward, 303 Collins avenue, Pittsburg, Pa., secretary, will meet at the Aragon.
6. Diseases of Children—A. C. Cotton, Chicago, Ill., chairman; A. J. Work, elkhart, Ind., secretary, will meet in room 102 Kimball house.

Ellis, Los Angeles, Cal., chairman; Henry Salzer, Baltimore, Md., secretary, will meet in room 104 Kimball house. 9. Neurology and Medical Jurisprudence -T. D. Crothers, Hartford, Conn., chair-man; W. J. Herdman, Ann Arbor, Mich., secretary, will meet in the city council

secretary, will meet in the city council chamber.

10. Dermatology and Syphilography—L., D. Bulkley, New York city, chairman; T. C. Giichrist, Baltlmore, Md., secretary, will meet in the Aragon breakfast room.

11. State Medicine—Charles H. Shepard Brooklyn, N. Y., chairman; Elmer Lee Chicago, secretary, will meet in room 16 Kimball house.

12. Dental and Oral Surgery—R. R. Andrews, Cambridge, Mass., chairman; Eugene S. Talbof, Chicago, secretary, will meet in room 167 Kimball house.

May "8th will be devoted to celebrating the 100th anniversary of the discovery of vaccination science. On that day, 1796, Jenner discovered the science. The day will be celebrated and the session will be public.

AT THE THEATERS. "The Private Secretary."

There was a fairly good audience a from the continual laughter, the play w much enjoyed. "The Private Secretary" well known in Atlanta and has aiwars proved a favorite. It was just as good as ever last night. Though styled a farcial ever last night. Though styled a farcial comedy, there is nothing in it that takes you beyond all bounds of reason to produce a laugh, and it is delightfully free from all suggestions of coarseness or vul-

Stud and Ring Found. A handsome solitaire shirt stud and a beautiful diamond and pearl ring have been found and brought in to police headquarters. The owners can secure same by a good description.

The Opinion of One Who Has Studied the Properties.

SAYS THEY ARE VERY RICH

Some Interesting Statistics from Mr. F. H. Russell-Howland Believs in the Future of the Properties.

Mr. F. H. Russell-Howland, who was quoted in 1st Sunday's Constitution in regard to Gergia gold properties, returned to the city esterday after a trip over a portion of he gold belt. Mr. Hewland seys that hi remarks were somewhat am-

"My faithlis firm in the richness of the Georgia mieral belt," said he, "but you know if oe makes unusual claims for enything which he is advocating there is danger the others will think he is exaggerating, so sometimes it is best to be modest arl rather underestimate than to give the ral facts, which sound extrava-

Mr. Holland has prepared an article with muc care on the gold properties of the southas he has seen them. He says "Editor Constitution-in times gone by much god meney has been lost in trying to extrat the gold from the ore in the scuther states, and throughout the gold areas of Virginia, North and South Carolina all Georgia one finds many of these "graveyrds," as they are locally termed, or previous attempts to develop gold properties. Fro. 1829 to 1860 there was much no

"Fro. 1829 to 1830 there was much activity a working southern gold properties, but ejefly by placer wasning and that larged by hand. There are several places in Virinia where as much as a million dollars fe credibly reputed to have been takenout of the respective places in that way he large sums were also so obtained in Carria Some mills were creed but s elatively much more then than it is wand in a few cases, no doubt, getting it as in the case of Commodore Stock-wao is stated in official publications eve taken out a million dollars, from ce in Fluvanna county, Virginia.

ten, under favorable circumstances, the ost of extracting the gold.

"With all of the facts before us, and nowing as it is now so generally known hat can and what cannot be done with hese sulphuretted ores, we cease to woner at the failures hitherto and see plainnees submiretted ores, we cease to woner at the failures hitherto and see plainy that success was practically impossible, and it is equally obvious that large
sums can, and therefore doubtless soon
will be, realized from these ores.

"Iny one examining into the facts will
soon see that all the money that has ever
been lost in trying to work these ores is
but a trifle in comparison to what the
yerrly output will soon be, for nothing can
sto the inflowing tide when it becomes
generally known that the ore is here in
such quantity and that it can now be
wriked with such enormous profits and
with practically, as compared with other
mining, little risk.

Commercially the salient questions are:
1. What is the average of the gold per
tin?

What does it cost to extract it?

What does it cost to extract it?

5. Is it certain that the gold can now s extracted?

"6. How do these ores compare in alue and in cost of working with ores in the places?

"The answers to each of these questions would fairly occupy considerable space, but brief answers can be made as follows:

'I. In Georgia and Virginia (the Carolinas I do not personally know anything about) from the very large number of assays I have had made I can safely state that there are many wide veins from eight to seventy-live feet in width that will to seventy-five feet in width that will average through the mass from \$7 to \$15 per ton, and gite a large number of veins from

average through the mass from \$7 to \$15 per ton, and qite a large number of veins from three to eighteen feet wide that will average through the mass from \$20 to \$40 per ton, and then there are to my knowledge two properties in Virginia and four in Georgia that show by the assays averages of from \$35 to over \$100 per ton and are very likely to be richer as greater depth is obtained. And it must be remembered that my personal investigations do not cover one-half of the gold bearing areas of either Georgia or Virginia.

"Several of the places that I have examined have undoubtedly produced ore, chiefly in pockets that have assayed thousands of dollars—in one case \$57,000—per ton, but I am writing only of ore taken by myself and to be depended upon as a fair average of the ore in the veins, and assayed for me, so that I may anticipate that when produced in quantity it will not prove less per ton than I have found it.

"Now as to the cost of extracting the gold from these ores: At the Alaska Treadwell mines, where the laborers are paid 33 and upward per day and wood costs 4 per cord, the total cost, including mining, milling, roasting, chlorination and administration, is put in the report of November, 1885, at \$1.07 per ton. Other mines in Alaska and South Dakota are working at a total cost of \$1.25 per ton. At a smaller mill—the Creighton, in Georgia—the cost is \$1.69 per ton, but it is not stated in this last one whether this in-

olina, the cost is \$1.08 per ion. At a still smaller mill—the Creighton, in Georgia—the cost is put at \$2.70 per ton, but it is not stated in this last one whether this includes administration.

"As the cost of labor and fuel is less than one-half as much in Virginia and Georgia as it is in Alaska, and as there are similarly large veins to work on, it is fair to assume that with equally large and well eppointed mills, turning out and treating an average of not less than 400 tons of ore per day for each mill, the cost of working will be brought to less than \$1 per ton. As to the third question—the amount that can be turned out per day—the most of the properties that I have examined have such width of vein, and so easily accessible, that two or more shafts can be put down in each property and seven hundred to a thousand tons of ore per day readily put out. As this is a particularly important point, I have had the opinion thereon of a number of experienced mining engineers, and they confirm the foregoing.

perienced mining engineers, and they confirm the foregoing.

'The fourth question, as to the risk of the veins giving out, may be answered by a professor Becker's Reconuotation from Professor Becker's 'Recon-oissance of the Gold Fields of the Southern Appalachians,' published by the department of the interior, at Washington. He ment of the interior, at Washington. He writes thus: "The question of the persistency of the veins in depth is one which, in my opinion, ifeed cause no uneasuress."

The total depth of hissures measured from the original surface is most likely of the same order as their length, several miles in many cases, while no mine has ever yet reached a depth of one mile. "It is hardly necessary to add confirmation to an opinion of such weight, but as there are not wanting practical men who state that in their opinion this or that county has the only true lissure veins that they know of in Georgia, (I have had four men, all of ripe experience, make this statethe only true fissure veins that they know of in Georgia. (I have had four men, all of ripe experience, make this statement to me, and each one of a different county from any of the others), it may not be amiss for me to further say that engineers on whose judgment capitalists are quite ready to depend, and who have made high positions for themselves in their profession, have arrived, after examinations, at the same conclusion as Professor Becker. "As to the fifth question—whether it is certain that the gold can now be extracted from these sulphuretted ores—the reply is that it is being done on similar ores in Alaska. south Africa. South Carolina (at the Haile mine), and in Georgia at the Creighton mine.

"And Mr. Young, of Messrs. Fraser & Chalmers, of New York, states that he thinks he has had before him every different kind of gold ore produced in the south and has never yet found one that would not concentrate and chlorinate.

"In regard to the sixth and last question—how these ores compare in value and in

cost of working with ores in other places—let us compare them, first with those in south Africa, where so many millions stering have recently been invested in the gold industry, and where, in so brief a time as eight years, the yield has risen from 23,123 ounces, produced in 1887, up to 2,024,162 ounces in 1894, thus making it, in eight years, exceed in value the total output of the United States. One of the best and most careful authorities in London, whose business puts him in a position to know the output of all the mines in south Africa, informed me some three months ago that the average value of the ore worked there is about 19 pennyweights (about 319) in value per ton. The richest mine there, as shown by the statistics, is the Robinson, and the average value of its ore in 1894 was 233.32 per ton, and the cost of working \$5.21 per ton. "Now I can point out at Yeast six properties in Georgia, and as many more in Virginia, where the ore will average more than the Robinson, and the cost of working, with a large mill, about one-fifth as much as at the Robinson, and without the risks of insufficient labor and Boer government.

"Turning from south Africa to the United States, I am told, but have not definite states the force me, that the average of gold per ton of the mines now being worked in this country is only \$10 per ton. And certainly in Alaska and South Dakota they are profitally working ore that yields from \$2.50 to \$4 per ton, and at the Halle mine, in South Carolina, large profits are being realized from ore averaging only \$4.50 per ton done of the work as more modern one.

"And it is certainly safe to say that the work and of the per ton of the south South Dakota they are being realized from ore averaging only \$4.50 per ton done of the south South Dakota they are profits the certainly safe to say that the gold South South Carolina, large profits are being realized from ore averaging only \$4.50 per ton done of the south South Carolina, large profits are being realized from ore averaging only \$4.50 per

so well litted for the work as more indeering ones.

"And it is certainly safe to say that the gold fields of both Georgia and Virginia present far more favorable opportunities for working than south Africa or Alaska or Dakota, and that what has been accemplished in south Africa, i. e., starting from nothing and in a few years producing more gold than the total output of the United States, can be more quickly and eastly done both in Georgia and Virginia. In other words, each one of the two states can be made to turn out in shorter time than south Africa did, more gold than the present total production of the United States, which is given, for 1894, by the director of the mint, as \$23,599,000.

"As the foregoing may appear to be an ex-

the mint, as \$25,59,000.
"As the foregoing may appear to be an extraordinary statement permit me to give a few details of them: I can point out in Cherokee and Bartow counties alone (I do not know so much of the other gold producing counties), outle fourty proportion. not know so much of the other gold producing counties) quite forty properties where mills of 100 stamps each can probably be kept very busy three-quarters of a century or more, before exhausting their supply of ore, allowing to each mill (1950 pound stamps) an average of 400 tons per day, and of those forty mills thirty would be on ore averaging \$8 per ton (total \$28,800,000 for 300 days), and ten of the forty mills on ore averaging \$50 per ton (a total of \$36,000,000 for 300 days), and the whole forty showing far more than the total present output of the United States. And the same as to number of mills and averages of the ore can be shown in Virginia.

The safe to say that as soon as the gold properties are properly developed the net profits therefrom will far exceed in amount the gross value of the cotton and all other crops of the state. When the facts get more fully known and sunderstood then towns like Cartersville and Canton will pass Johannesburg, in the way of rapid accession population and wealth. Once the move ment is fairly started and the yield of few good mills known, the rush can r more be prevented than the Atlantic tid swept back by a broom, I am, sir, obedienl ly years, H. F. RUSSELL-HOWLAND.

FROM NEWTON COUNTY.

Ladies from That County Present Handsome Window to the State.

The ladies of Newton county have presented to the state a handsome leaded win Following was the letter received: "Covington, Ga., April 8, 1896.—Governor Y. Atkinson, Atlanta, Ga. Dear Sir: W. Y. Atkinson, Atlanta, Ga. Dear Sn: It is my great pleasure and privilege to present to you, in behalf of the ladies of Newton county, as the chief executive of their state, a handsome leaded window for which they have worked most earnestly, that it may be placed in the central window of the state library, there to remain forever as a glory to Newton county and a beautiful emblem of her richest resources. The window is wade of the library old state and have it placed as early as possible in the central window of the state library. Yours most sincerely, "MRS. WILLIAM C. CLARKE,

'Chairman of Executive Committee Charge of Newton County's Window, To this Governor Atkinson made reply: To this Governor Atkinson made reply:
"Mrs. William C. Clarke, Chairman of
Committee, Covington, Ga. My Dear
Madam: I am in receipt of yours of the
8th instant presenting to the state a handsome leaded window illustrating the resources of Newton county. I beg to assure
you that it will afford me great pleasure
to transmit your letter to the general assembly when it shall convene with the reommendation that the window be accepted ndation that the window be accepted and appropriately placed. Until the action of the legislature I will see that it is properly cared for and advantageously placed. Obediently yours, W. Y. ATKINSON,

IRON HAS ADVANCED.

But the Demand Has Not Materially Increased.

Cleveland, O., April 9.—The Irion Trade deview says: The iron market has further advanced toward higher ground in the past week. The demand has not broken ose in any general way and the higher prices have not convinced buyers that prices have not convinced buyers that they need make haste to cover. The Pitts-burg busis finally established for soft steel is \$20.25, with 59 cents, \$1 and \$2.25, added respectively for Cleveland, Chicago and eastern prices. Sheet bars and tin plate bars carry \$2 and \$2.50, respectivly, above the billet figure, and wire rods \$5. While the steel agreement is a substantial one as such agreements 50, three are not one as such agreement so, three are not wanting predictions that one or two of the largest interests have submitted to requirements that may be put under a severe strain in the next few months. The supply of tonnage will be a large factor in the outcome.

of tonnage will be a large factor in the outcome.

Structural iron is unchanged. Bar steel is quoted higher in some quarters. Elsewhere the prices of the past two weeks obtain. Bar iron mills are hobeful of better demand under the advance for steel billets, but here also enhanced cost will be a factor. Scrap is held more firmly in the expectation of increased puddling, and mill irons are higher.

Died at Kirkewood.

Little J. Elkin Thomas, four years of age, died late Wednesday night at the home of his parents in Kirkwood. He had been sick for only a short while with searlet fever. The remains were sent to Eatonton yesterday for burial.

CHARLESTON TO LIVERPOOL.

The South Carolina and Georgia Road Open Direct Trade.

Charleston, S. C., April 9.—Traffic Manager L. A. Emerson announced today that the South Carolina and Georgia road would inaugurate a line of steamers between this city and Europe on the first of September The road has recently purchased valuable

terminals on the Cooper river water front, and these are to be greatly improved. Mr. Emerson states that his company will begin at once to convert large buildings on gin at once to convert large buildings on the terminals into a grain elevator, with a capacity of 250,000 bushels, and that 't will engage in the exportation through Charles-ton this fall of wheat and corn. The first ship of the new transatlantic line, which is to be called the Charleston, will, Mr. Emerson says, be at the docks here by the 1st of September, ready to receive her cargo.



WILL RETURN NORTH MUNYON'S

Customs Deputy Donaldson Has Finished His Labors Here.

EXPOSITION BUSINESS OVER

Mr. Donaldson Says That the City Ought To Have Established a Souvenir Muscam.

Mr. W. A. Donaldson, deputy in charge of the exposition customs department, has wound up the business of his office, and is ready to leave the city, after several months stay. The customs office in the government building has been his headquarters since the close of the exposition.

Mr. Donaldson is the last of the government officials to leave after the exposition season. The full force of customs experts and employes who handled the busines consequent to the big show, except Mr. ry, left several months ago, the government men returning to their former sta-Mr. Donaldson is well pleased with At-

lanta, and he says that he regrets to leave the city and his friends here. He came to Atlanta from Washington before the opening of the exposition last fall, and since that time has been one of the busiest mer in the city, the customs office doing large amount of work. All of the foreign goods in some manner, and there is nov nothing left to be done in connection with the exposition business

Made One Mistake.

Mr. Donaldson thinks that the city made only one mistake in connection with the big show. He thinks that a museum for the exhibition of exposition souvenirs should have been established by all means. He be lieves that had the matter been taken in close of the show, any amount of valuable derations could have been secured and the

"All of the big exposition cities of recent years have a museum or exhibit hall, containing souvenirs of the show," said Mr. Donaldson yesterday. "Atlanta could have established one very easily. There were a great many exhibitors who would have wilgreat many exhibitors who would nave willingly donated some article suitable for the museum, and when all had been seen, there would have been a large collection. In Chicago the scheme was adopted, and it proved an immense success. The same thing was done at Sen Francisco after the midwinter fair, and other cities coud be named which hase museums. They are popular resorts, and will retain a hold on the people for many years. Little mementos of such a big enterprise are always interesting and instructive to the people.

Will Reap the Repetits.

Will Reap the Benefits.

"Yes, I have got ready to leave Atlanta," continued Mr. Donaldson. "The season has been a busy one with us. A large amount of business was transacted in the exposi-Everything has been wound up now, however, and I expect to leave for Washington today or tomorrow. I like your city and am sorry to have to leave it. I have been shown many courtesies since coming here last fall, and my impressions of the city are very favorable. The exposition was a success, and it will be of great advantage to the south. Such enterprises are good advertising mediums and Atlanta and the south will reap the benefit of the show." Yesterday morning Mr. Donaldson sold at excition in the customs building the last few trinkets imported for exhibit at the show which were not taken out of bond at ever, and I expect to leave for Washington show which were not taken out of bord at the close of the show. The exhibitors left the goods in default, giving them to the overnment, rather than pay the duty trinkets were disposed of to the hi bidders, and they were knocked down to

Napoleon's Camp Stool. Ameng the purchasers was Colonel Camp, the district attorney's office. He bought France, with the guarantee that it was used by Napoleon at the battle of Waterloo. The history of the steel camp stool which was brought over from The history of the stool is well authenti-cated and Mr. Camp prizes the relic very highly. It was knocked down to him at highly. It was knocked down to him at the very low price of \$1. He says that Colonel Tinney Rucker offered him \$25 for it

SAVED FROM NICOTINE. FATHER AND SON SET FREE AT ASHEVILLE, N. C.

Little Charley Fogleman Used Tobacco Since Babyhood, and His Father Smoked and Chewed for the Past Twenty Years.

Asheville, N. C. April 9.—(Special.)—"Is that true?" asked the News's man at Pel-ham's Pharmacy, as he laid down a letter in the presence of a dozen interested customer. customers.

"Yes, it is," promptly answered the proprietor. "It was written here on one of our letterheads and signed by J. C. Fogleman, who lives at No. 5 Buxton street. We all know he is a man of his word."

This is what the letter said:
"Office of Pelham's Pharmacy, 24 Patton avenue, Asheville, N. C.: Gentlemen—My little boy, now eight years, began chewing tobacco when three years old by the advice of our family physician, in the place of stronger stimulants. Four weeks ago

of stronger stimulants. Four weeks ago I began giving him No-To-Bac, which I bought at Pelham's Pharmacy, and to my great surprise and delight, No-To-Bac completely cured him. He does not care for tobacco, and is very much improved in health, eats heartily and has a much better color. ter color.
"Finding such results from the use of No-To-Bac I began myself, and it cured me after using tobacco, in all forms, for

me after using tobacco, ... twenty years. "I make this plain statement for the enefit of others.
(Signed.) "J. C. Fogleman."
"What's that?" asked Chief of Police H.

(Signed.)

"What's that?" asked Chief of Police H.
S. Hawkins, whose manly form attired in
the new police uniform, like Solomon in
all his glory came to the door.

"Why, No-To-Bac cures!"

"Cures? Why, I should say so. I used
it myself. It cured me. I bought one box
of No-To-Bac from Pelham and was cured
after using tobacco-chiefly chewing-for
eight or ten years."

Everybody looked astonished and wondered what would next turn up.

"Suppose it don't cure?" some one asked.

"Then you get your money back," replied
the druggist. "No-To-Bac is made by the
Sterling Remedy Combany, of Chicago,
Montreal and New York, and every druggist in America is authorized to sell NoTo-Bac under an absolute guarantee to
cure or money refunded. They always do
the square thing. Here, read their famous
booklet, 'Don't Tobacco Spit and in It.'"

Written guarantee and free sample mailed Written guarantee and free sample mailed for the asking.

STUART'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS cure dyspepsia and every form of stomach trouble except cancer of the stomach. Sold by druggists at 50 cents, full size package. oct 25-ly fri

FOR LEASE.

FOR LEASE—One four story brick standard factory building on W. and A. railroad. Will improve to meet the wants of permanent lessee. Apply to T. W. Baxter, 210 Norcross building.

FOR RENT-Four connecting front rooms over Keely Co. Possession at once. Ap-ply Keely Co. FOR SALE-Bicycles.

THE "CLEVELAND" bieycle the best in the world; the only wheel that stands Belglan block. Rhodes, Snook & Hay-

REMEDIES

A Separate Cure for Each Disease. All Druggists. Mostly 25 Cents a Bottle.

DOCTOR YOURSELF

Munyon's Improved Homeopathic Remedies act almost instantly, speedily, curing the most obstinate cases. Rheumatism cured in from 1 to 3 days. Dyspepsia and all stomach troubles quickly relieved. Catarrh positively cured. Headache cured in five minutes. Nervous diseases promptly cured. Kidney troubles, Piles, Neuralgia, Asthma and all Female Complaints quickly cured. Munyon's Vitalizer imparts new life and vigor to weak and debilitated men. men.
Personal letters to Professor Munyon, 1505 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., answered with free medical advice for any discorps.

mar 6-13-20-27 apr 3-10 17 24 may 1 yr MONEY TO LOAN.

T. W. BAXTER & CO. negotiate loa on Atlanta real estate and choice improved Georgia farm lands at low rates of interest. Purchase money notes bought and sold. No. 210 Norcross building, Atlanta.

THE EASIEST PLACE to borrow money on any security is from the Central Loan and Investment Co., room 316, Electric building, Marietta street. apr2-1m. WITHOUT REAL ESTATE you can borrow what money you want from Atlanta Discount Company. Office, fifth floor Temple Court. Joseph N. Moody, cashier. RILEY-GRANT COMPANY negotiates loans at 6 and 7 per cent on improved real estate; special facilities for handling large loans. 28 S. Broad street.

LOANS made on real estate and other ap proved securities. Will allow interest or time deposits. Bates-Farley Savings Bank 9 Edgewood avenue, Gould building.

BARKER & HOLLEMAN negotiate loans on Atlanta real estate and Georgia farm lands. Gould building, Atlanta. T. W. BAXTER & CO., 210 Norcross building, have from \$5,000 to \$50,000 to lend upon central property at 6 per cent.

MONEY ON HAND to lend at 6, 7 and per cent straight on real estate in Fulton and DeKalb counties; also monthly pay-ment loans; good noise and building and loan stock bought. W. A. Foster, No. 1 North Broad street. TRADERS' COMPANY negotiates loans on real estate; city property to exchange for good farms or timber land; bank stocks for sale. 47 N. Broad street. jani2-ty

WEYMAN & CONNORS negotiate leans on city property at 6 and 7 per cent. Money lealy for parties wanting quick loans. Call in person. No. 825 Equitable SOUTHERN Loan and Banking Company always has money to lend in any amount on short or long time, repayable in monthly installments, on real or personal property. Rate of interest dependent on character of security offered. Purchase money notes bought. We charge no commissions. W. T. Crenshaw, cashier, No. 13 East Alabama street.

ON ALL VALUABLES, diamonds, jewelry, etc.; liberal and confidential. Heary H. Schaul, 56 Decatur street, near Pryor SAMUEL BARNETT. No. 557 Equitable building, negotiates real estate mortgage loans on property in or near Atlanta. Money always on hand. Borrower can pay back any way he pleases. Rates depend on the security. Large and good loans very cheap.

MONEY TO LOAN on household furniture or good collateral; plenty on hands 281/2 South Broad street, room 7. MONEY LOANED on real estate col-lateral; principals only. Money on hand; terms to suit; foreign money bought and exchange issued on all parts of world. George S. May. apr 10 if

. FURNITURE.

CHEAP-\$45 folding bed, oak, only \$25; \$85 folding bed only \$50; come quick. Rhodes, Snook & Haverty Furniture Company. FURNITURE—A full line of furniture, baby carriages, stoves, etc. Special bar-gains offered by Griswold & Martin. 113 and 115 Whitehall street. apr 1-1m

BUSINESS CHANCES. \$100 INVESTED now in wheat (new plan) should make you \$1,000 in next 60 days; book and full particulars free; highest references, Jordan & Co., Columbia bux6ing, New York.

apr5-4t sun tue wed fri

FOR SALE-Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—3-h. Jenny electric motor and 4-h. Otto gas engine at a bargain. Dodson Printers' Supply Co. apr 7-3t. FOR RENT-Houses, Cottages, Etc.,

NEW 9-ROOM HOUSE corner Currier and Piedmont: elevated, every modern convenience, fine neighborhood, 61 Forrest ave. apr 10-2t fri sun SECOND FLOOR of brick flat: 4 rooms; large hall: hot water; bath; \$16, including gas. 137 Spring street. FOR RENT-Elegant residence, 10 rooms, Inman Park, 248 water

Inman Park, gas, water, electric bells, on Edgewood avenue. Fred W. Cole, 67 Temple Court. apr 10—Im fri sun tues FOR RENT—The best 9-room modern house in Atlanta for \$35 month; now vacant. Rhodes, Snook & Haverty. apr-8-3t Rhodes, Snook & Haverty. apr.8-3 FOR PENT-One first-class ten-room house, newly papered and painted; every convenience; delightful neighbors; No. 1. Highland avenue. Apply to A. McD. Wilson, 66 and 68 North Broad street. 4pr.4-7.

FOR SALE—Several houses, good renting property, never vacant, all insured, big opportunity to make good interest on inopportunity to make good interest on investment. M. E. Dildine, general delivery

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

WANTED-Miscellaneous. WANTED-Manufacturing plant for wood or iron, or both, from \$1,000 to \$10,000 in exchange for valuable real estate. Ad-dress Box 153, city. apr 10-3t thur fri sun WATER GROUND CORN MEAL—We have a supply of fresh ground just in from our mill. Also a new arrival of Patent straight winter wheat flour. Get our prices. Warren Grain Co. apr9-3t

call and get our prices; two car loads bought for 50 cents on the 31 from factory going out of business; see them. Rhodes, Snook & Haverty. apr-8-3t BOARDERS WANTED.

WANTED-Everybody wanting mantels to

BOARDERS WANTED—Lovely rooms, good board, gentlemen preferred, table boarders desired; terms reasonable. 296
Peachtree street. apr 10—3t BOARD 60 EAST CAIN STREET, private family, near governor's mable rates; splendid rooms.

HANDSOMEST home in north Atlanta; extra large rooms, dressing rooms, hot water, etc., fine table, 64 Forrest avenue. apr 10-2t fri sun abr 10-2t fri sun
WANTED, BOARDERS—Pleasant rooms
with board at 258 Peachtree: references
exchanged.

EXCEPTIONALLY SELECT board in modern improved house, large airy rooms,
with good attendance and first-class table.
217 Capital avenue. apr 7 tu wed fri su tu

MISCELLANEOUS.

HORSE OWNERS-Try our green cured creb grass hay. Horses are very fond of

SOLD

That Watch is sold at last. Perhaps you wanted a cheaper watch. Come around and let us show you some at, well, say \$15.00 to \$25.00.

Julius R. Watts & Co. Jewelers, 57 Whitehall. Cash Paid for Old Gold and Silver

HELP WANTED-Male.

JOURNEYMAN TAILOR WANTED at once. Apply to L. Newman, Chester, & apr 10-2t REPRESENTATIVE man to manage our advertising department in this section; all home work, liberal terms, stamp. Box 437, Lima, O. BIDS ARE SOLICITED for the refreshment privilege, score card and fence advertising at Brisbine park for ball season of 1896. Address I. H. Oppenheim, 1 White-

hall. AN OPENING for three good, hustling solicitors, \$75 per month and expenses. Address G., this office. A HUSTLING MAN with experience

HUSTLING workers everywhere to take orders for "Cuba and the Fight for Freedom," 500 pages Retail \$1.50. Elaborately illustrated with views of the armies, camps and ergagements, secured at great hazard. Sells at sight. Books on credit; freight Sells at sight. Books on credit; freight paid; best discounts; anyone can earn \$5 to \$20 daily. Complete outfit but 20c. Address Globe Bible Pub. Co., 723 Chestnut St., Phil-Melphia, Pa. apr 7-2t, WANTED—Good men to place Equitable Building and Loan Association stock in Georgia; loans promptly made. George A. Smith, general manager, Exchange bank building, Macon, Ga. apr 5-20t

SITUATIONS WANTED-Male.

WANTED-Position by good, reliable printer, book, job or news, platen pressman, with some knowledge of bookbinding, country job preferred. Address Printer, care Constitution. SITUATION WANTED as janitor, porter beliman or butler by a polite, neat ne gro with experience; first-class city references furnished. Address J. L. R., car

A NORTHERN YOUNG LAWYER, a hus a NORTHERN YOUNG LAWYER, a nustier and an a No. 1 office man (taking a back seat for no one on collections) of first-class education and good ability, would like a position with a first-class law firm. Best of references as to ability and character from late banker clients and circuit court judge. H. B. L., Constitution.

apr 7-2t tu fri su

WANTED-Houses.

WANTED—Smail house, big lot, good neighborhood, near car line, gas and water; must be very cheap. Address Hope, Constitution.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

FOR SALE OF EXCHANGE-Georgia Reports, Acts, etc., bought and sold; highest price paid for Georgia Reports. C. H. Banks, Box 158, Atlanta. apr 10-2t fri sun apr 10-2t fri sun
FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Improved
farm sixteen miles from Atlanta, fronts
half mile on entral railroad; commutation
tickets to and from Atlanta 8 cents a trip,
379 acres of land, 200 acres open for cultivation, balance in timber, five-room
dwelling and out buildings, variety of fruit
trees, This is choice property, for sale on
easy terms or will exchange for Atlanta
property, E. G. Roberts, 7 North Forsyth
street.

apr 10-2t fri sun

WANTED-Salesman. WANTED-A good bicycle salesman: gage, experience, reference and lowe pay. Box 653. \$80 TO \$160 MONTHLY salary and expenses paid salesmen; experience unnecessary; extraordinary inducements to customers. Folk Ritchie Cigar Co., St. Louis. apr 10-2t fri sun \$60 TO \$150 A MONTH and expenses paid salesmen for cigars. Experience unnecessary. Little Clerk cigar machine free to

each customer. Bishop & Kline, St.

B. T. MOORE, No. 8 West Ellis street, expert accountant, books opened and closed, intricate accounts adjusted; reference.

MONEY can always be had on good notes and collaterals. Cneeks and Drafts on city and out-of-town Banks cashed after regular banking hours. TOLLESON'S BANK, 21 and 23, 8200N FLOOR INMAN BUILDING. ATLANTA. GA.

FOR RENT.

On lease of one to five years to an approved tenant the Gordon school building on Edgewood avenue, containing three stories and dry basement with entrance from street, floor space measuring about 240x480 feet. Very central and desirably located, well adapted for business, college, hotel or manufacturing purposes. Heated by steam and lighted by gas and electricity. For price and further particulars address P. O. box 83, city.

403 Spring. 183 Railroad avenue, West End 488 North Boulevard, furnished 488 North Boulets 249 Spring. 168 W. Peachtree. Wylie and Lee, Inman Park. 59 Windsor, g., w. and stable. 73 Williams.

FOR RENT You have a rare opportunity of securing one of the most desirable and centrally located small hotels in the city within two blocks of the center of the city and within a minute's walk of the postofice. The building is surrounded by snale, contains thirty-five rooms which are targe and airy. Lighted by electricity and is nicely arranged for hotel purposes. Will make good terms to an approved tenant. For further particulars, etc., address postofilee box 83, city.

FOR RENT By C. H. Girardeau, 8 East Wall St.

Kimball House. 104 Formwalt st... 22 Cooper st..... 9 Woodward ave...

5-r. h., 175 Davis st...... 5-r. h., 175 Davis st......

FOR RENT

did get ashore they didn't show them

have seen daylight again."

From The New York Times,

and been blown up, for they never would

OVER A CENTURY OLD.

A Man Who Was Born Before the

Revolution.

Three-score years and ten is the allotted life of man. To add 54 years—a goodly age for men to live—to the allotted life,

makes a person remarkable. That is the

for an occasional glass of rye or old ap

from his native heath.

If Noah Raby is as old as he claims to

be, and there are many people in Piscata-way who believe his statement, he is the

oldest man in the state, if not in the

of the poor farm, has known Raby for over fifty years, and is firm in the belief

that he is at least 110 years old. "Uncle

Noah," as Raby is called by his neighbors, looks to be more than a centenarian as he sits in his old-fashioned armchair

by the fireside. He is short of stature and

about ten years ago, yet at times his eyes

sparkle as though he had his sight. His shoulders are pretty well contracted, but

the muscles of his arms and legs are

nearly as firm as they were a quarter of

entury ago. Raby has no teeth, and when talking he

emits a sort of sharp whistling sound

which is rather startling until one be-comes accustomed to it. His voice is

strong and clear and his laugh hearty.

He has a distinctly southern accent.

Raby says he was born at Eatontown.

Gates county, North Carolina, on April 1

sired to marry when Raby was seven

years old, and he was bound out to a

farmer named Miles Field. Raby says

six years old, and has "used whisky for

nearly the same time off and on." Lut claims he was "never drunk but three times in his life." When he was twenty-one years old he was hired by a widow,

a Mrs. Parker, as overseer of her place for \$200 a year. Next he was hired by her

daughter-in-law, who also was a w'dow,

and it was his intention to "get into her good graces and marry her," and her prop-

erty, which consisted of lands and slaves,

but he had a faint heart and dared not

o sea, and he joined the Constitution.

When he came back he asked the widow

ecoming the husband of a handsome wo-

farms, which Peter Kane owned. Then he

was sent to the poor farm.

tale.

ell his love. Raby's half-brother persuaded him to go

that he commenced to smoke when he

much bent with age. He

country. Henry G. Hummer, the oversee

ER GOES TO MAYOR KING

Vill Carefully Examine It Before Taking Action.

NOT MADE UP HIS MIND FULLY YET

rmen Concur in the Auburn Ave ON 1e Paving Ordinance and Jones Avenue Bridge Matter.

at as foretold in The Constitution nesday last, the aldermanic board of city council unanimously approved the THE plance of the Venable Bros. new city proposition at the meeting yesterday rnoon Not a single dissenting voice Mrs heard when the roll was called for Cvote.

very member of the board was present pt Alderman Howell. He is one of the ut enthusiastic supporters of the propion, and would have voted to concurhe action of the council in accepting offer of the Messrs. Venable had he n present.

Heids of Mayor King for approval. He mu four days in which to attach his name but. e. He has not given out an indication aldermanic board by a representative The Constitution last night. He was in his office during the afternoon after board meeting, and had not heard of disposition of the matter. He said that

not know what he would do about atter yet and really do not know what tion I will take," said Mayor King. "The estion is a very important one, and I all look well into it before making a al decision. The papers did not reach y office this afternoon, and until the mat-

eliable

a hus-aking a of first-uld like m. Best haracter

er street was unanimously concurred in y the aidermanic board yesterday after-oon. The thoroughfare will be paved with mail granite blocks at an estimated cost f about \$24,000.

The paper will go to the hands of Mayor King this morning, and it is almost certain that he will approve it. There is no opposition to the project, and unless some error is discovered in the wording of the ordinance, it will be signed by Mayor King, it is believed. The demand for a street pavement on Auburn avenue has been constantly growing for a long time, and all of the residents of the street are about to be made happy at last in the success of their efforts.

To Build the Bridge.

Jones avenue bridge resolution The Jones avenue bridge resolution was approved by the board. The paper carries a transfer of \$1,485 from the bridge repair fund to the Jones avenue bridge fund, the amount covering the deficiency in the original appropriation. The lowest bid was that of the Toledo Bridge Company, \$16,-485. Only \$15,000 was set aside to build the bridge, and at the council meeting Monday the additional sum was ordered to be transferred. The contract will be signed with the bridge company, and the work will begin at once.

The resolution adopted by the council

gin at once.

The resolution adopted by the council directing the employment of Captain Amos Baker as assistant license inspector for six menths, was not acted on. The resolution seeks to give him a place at \$50 per month. The matter was allowed to go over until the next meeting of the board.

For a Public Market. public market resolution was con d in. The committee on public build-and grounds will be instructed to into the question of establishing a

market house for the sale of produce

The board concurred in the ordinance directing the paving of Cain street from Courtland avenue to Butler street with granite blocks.

The ordinance directing the opening of Merritts avenue was also concurred in.

The resolution ordering the removal of the city scales to the tiangular lot at the corner of Loyd and Garnett streets was approved, but the scales will not be moved from the courthouse lot unless the county commissioners insist on such removal.

The street railroad companies will be required to put their track inclosures in good order, if the mayor signs the resolution concurred in by the board.

MAY RETURN TODAY.

Little, Who Is Charged with Seduction, May Return to North Carolina.

May Return to North Carolina.

Connor Little, the man who is being held at police headquarters charged with the seduction of Miss Gertie King, of Lincolnton, N. C., will probably he sent to the scene of his crime today. The requisition papers are expected to arrive this morning, and if Governor Atkinson honors them Little will leave immediately.

The prosecution in Lincolnton has sent an attorney in company with an officer to Atlanta to bring Little back if possible. He was seen last night and absolutely refused to talk of the case. He is going to take Little back if he can and would not express his opinion as to whether the fugitive is guilty or not.

Little instituted habeas corpus proceedings before Judge Berry Tuesday, who refused to grant the same, and gave the prisoner over to the charge of Chief Connolly.

prisoner over to the charge of Chief Connolly.

Little was seen last night in his cell at police headquarters, and says he is entirely innocent of the charge. He acknowledged having secured a marriage license and declares that he has done the young girl no harm. He does not seem to fear to return and meet the charge.

A telegram received from Raleigh last night states that Governor Carr makes requisition on the governor of Georgia for the prisoner. Little was once in South Carolina, and a requisition was made out for him, but he escaped.



WOOLENS WILL NOT SHRINK

Raworth, Schodde & Co., Makers, Chicago, New York Office, & Leonard St. Boston, 3 Chatham & apri31fri mon wed top or fol

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

SOCIAL, CRIMINAL, RELIGIOUS AND OTHER MATTERS.

Some Local Happenings of a Day Gathered from Many Sources by Constitution Reporters.

Hon. J. H. Daniel Here. Hon. J. H. Daniel of Franklin, Heard county, is in the city. He is an ex-member of the legislature and one of the leading attorneys and democrats of his section. Mr. Daniel has represented his county both in the liouse and senate. He is being prominently mentioned as an available candidate for congress in the fourth district.

A Sudden Death.

William A. Day, of Orange, N. J., last night at the Kimball house. He aged last night at the Kimball house. He had been ill for some time with consumption. Yesterday morning he arrived from Thomasville, where he spent the winter. A sudden attack came during the day. He passed away shortly before midnight. He had many friends in this city who knew him during his connection with the Mobile and Birmingham railway. The remains will be escorted to Orange, N. J.

It Is a Mistake

to think that you can obtain the four magnificent volumes of the American Encyclopaedic Dictionary at any time for \$1 cash and \$1.25 monthly for twelve months. As soon as the 200 introductory sets are exhausted the original price will prevail.

Had Valuable Tools. Two colored boys by the names of Ed Jones and George Holmes were arrested by Officer Harris yesterday for idling and loitering. Quite a number of carpenters' tools were found in their possession.

Off to Asheville

Mr. George B. Walter, Jr., who has been making the Hotel Marion his headquarters when in the south, representing the firm of. Smith & Angell, manufacturers and importers, will leave for Asheville, N. C. tomorrow on account of bad health, and take a much needed rest.

A Footpad Caught.

One of the negro footpads who attacked and robbed Mrs. Leeds Greenleaf, on West Peachtree Wednesday afternoon, was captured by Officers Harris and Taylor yesterday. He stoutly denies his guilt. He was identified, however, by children who were near by and the mctorman who happened to be passing on his car at the time.

Escaped Prisoner Caught.

Last August nine prisoner Caught.

Last August nine prisoners escaped from the jail in Marietta and have been at large ever since. The officers in Atlanta have been on the outlook for them and yesterday a big negro by the name of Jordap Williams, one of the number, was caught on Capitol avenue, by Officer Stallings. He is now in a cell at police headquarters, and will probably be sent back to Marietta in a few days.

Will Give a Benefit. The members of the Atlanta Turn Verein Society will give a gymnastic exhibition and hop on next Tuesday evening and the proceeds will be used to aid the society in entertaining the convention of Turn Vereiners, which meets in Atlanta on June 8th.

THE PASSING THRONG.

Ex-Senator Patrick Walsh headed the Augusta delegation which came up yesterday and registered at the Kimball. Who ever registered the party wrote "Senator Patrick Walsh" on the register.

Some time later the ex-senator cam along and saw that "senator" written there. He does not like that sort of thing and he picked up a pen and put his wellknown but illegible autograph on the same line. The "senator" was completely buried under the tall, angular lines which the editor wrote himself and one who did not know the signature in the dark would never have recognized either of the

as been a great developer. He brought a large amount of capital to Au gusta and is what Sam Jones would call "one of the most leadingest citizens." He changed the old street horse cars to troiley cars and now he is interested in a score of enterprises connected with Augusta's progress.

Colonel F. B. Papy, of the Plant system's freight department, was at the Aragon yesterday. His headquarters are in Savan-

Among others at the Aragon were: F Among others at the Aragon were: F.
N. McLeod, Providence; E. W. Newcomb,
Chicago; C. D. Portwood, Lexington, Ky.;
Miss Tousey and Miss Ker, New York; H.
D. Prince, New York; R. F. Armstrong,
Indianactic

At the Kimball yesterday were: George C. Smith, W. H. Jewell, Adolph Joseph, Milledgeville; E. B. Ezell, Eatonton; W. A. Albright and wife, Newnan; L. C. Hayne, J. R. Lamar, P. G. Burum, F. B DeBerard, William G. Eve and Bowdre Phinazee, Augusta; F. G. Boatwright, G. Manard, Tifton; J. Rice Smith, Augusta; Charles Taunton, Cuthbert.

Hal Moore, who was for years connected with different papers throughout the state, came up from Augusta yesterday. He may get back into active newspaper work again before long.

The Markham had an exposition day, so to speak, with page after page of its register filled. Among the travelers who stopped there were: W. S. Fender and wife, Valdosta; Miss Nita Fender, Manchester; J. M. Neel, L. E. Atkinson, Cartersville; Warren Alken, Cartersville; James H. Skelton, J. M. Thornton, Hartwell: E. C. Hughes, Sedalia, Mo.; T. P. Sullivan, Simoon Sargent, Concord, N. H.

Among the arrivals at the Hotel Marion yesterday were: John A. Bauerlein, Nash-ville, Tenn.; H. M. Fell, Indianapolis; A. O. Pattengill, Buffalo, N. Y.; T. M. Leach, North Carolina; J. J. Whitfield, Hawkins-North Carolina; J. J. Whitfield, Hawkins-ville, Ga.; W. M., Hutchinson, Lexington, Ky.; A. T. Logan and sen, Americus, Ga.; G. C. Cronan, Orange, Mass.; J. W. Hen-drie, Chicago; John M. Brady, Fayette-ville, Tenn.; H. Lee, Fayetteville, Tenn.; E. T. Page, Jr., Virginia; W. Ivie, Chat-tanooga; G. R. Putnam, Washington, D. C.

TWO OF A KIND.

A Thief Steals form a Thief in Jail Last Night.

The fact that imprisonment seems to have little effect on some criminals was forcibly evidenced by a little incident that occurred at the police station last night. It was the case of a tramp stealing from a hief in fail.

James Coswell is the name of a man of about thirty-five, who applied last night at the station for a night's lodging. He was ushered to a cell and soon became acquainted with Frank Stallings, the man who is serving a sentence for stealing flowers from the cemetery. Stallings happened to leave his cell for a few minutes, and during his absence Coswell improved the opportunity and went into Stallings's boudoir and stole his comb and brush and handsome leather case. A search was immediately instituted for the missing articles and they were found on the person of Coswell. A cast of disorderly conduct was entered against him and he will now enjoy the hospitality of this rude hostelry a little longer than he expected. James Coswell is the name of a man of

Joins the U. C. V. Savannah, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—The Confederate Veterans' Association, of this city, decided to go into the United Confederate Veterans as Camp'No. 756. This action will be reported to headquarters at

once. Action with regard to a union with the Lafayette McLaws camp here was State Convention on June 25th. Raleigh, N. C., April 9.—The democratic tate committee met here tonight, and isued a call for a state convention to meet

JONES ON HARRY HILL

Writes a Letter to the Governor Requesting a Pardon for Harry.

HE HAS SUFFERED ENOUGH

The Evangelist Thinks That Harry Should Receive Executive Clemency-What He Says.

Governor Atkinson has received an urgent etter from Sam Jones requesting executive elemency in behalf of Harry Hill. It is the opinion of the eminent evangelst that Harry should be pardoned; that

ne has suffered sufficiently. "Harry Hill," says Mr. Jones, "is noble, kind-hearted man with a hundred noble traits for every grievous fault. It seems to me that justice has been fully net and that mercy should now take its The letter from Mr. Jones is only one of

hundreds which have been showered upon the governor since the recommendation by the advisory committee. These letters come from all parts of the state. Most of them urged that the prisoner be pardoned as soon as possible, but there were some who objected. Several well-known Atlanta who objected. Several well-known Atlanta ladies have addressed the governor asking him to refuse the application for pardon. It is their opinion that Harry Hill should serve out his full sentence and they have notified the governor accordingly. On the other hand, strenuous appeals have been made for the governor to exercise elem-ency. They think that Harry has been

subjected to enough misery.

Some time ago when the pardon advisory committee was at work they looked well into the case of Harry Hill. They visited the camp, examined the record of the famous convict, looked over the details of his rial and reached a decision to the effect that Hill should be pardoned. This recommendation was filed with the governwith a number of others examined b the committee. Many of these recom-mendations have already been acted upon favorably Few remain and among th is the application of Harry Hill. It is probable that this may be acted upon

There is no telling the probable decision of the governor in regard to the case. He has read carefully all letters received in reference to it. Upon his return from Fitzgerald was the letter from Sam Jones.

gerald was the letter from Sam Jones.
The letter was as follows:
"Cartersville, Ga., April 4, 1896.—Governor
W. Y. Atkinson, Atlanta, Ga. My. Dear
Governor: I seldom use my tongue or pen
in questions belonging to the executive
or judicial matters of the state, but I am
constrained under the circumstances to
write a few words in reference to the pardon of Mr. Harry Hill.

We know Harry personally. He may have

write a few words in reference to the pardon of Mr. Harry Hill.

"I know Harry personally. He may have
sinned grievously, but he has suffered intensely, and I hope you can see it to be
your duty to extend chemency to him. It
seems to me that justice has been fully
met and mercy should now take its place.
Harry Hill is a noble, kind-hearted man
with a hundred noble traits for every
grievous fault. I believe you will make no
mistake if you pardon him. As an humble
citizen of this state who has stood for law
and order, championing all that is good
and denouncing all that is wrong, I earnestly join with thousands of others asking
for the pardon of Harry Hill.

"With best wishes for you personally
and your family, and the highest admiration for both your ability and inflexible integrity. I am your friend,

"SAM P. JONES."

INDIAN JOHN'S NERVE.

Adventure of an Allegheny Raftsman with a Cargo of Nitro-Glycerin.

From The New York Sun.
"John Jeffersy, or 'Indian John,' as he
was called, who died near Tionesta, Pa.,
the other day," said C. P. McDermott, a
western Pennsylvania. western Pennsylvania lumber operator, "was one of the last of the old-time Allegheny river pilots, the men who guided the gheny river pilots, the men who guided the immense pine rafts from the headwaters to Pittsburg in the days before the big steam mills and the railroads came into the wilderness and made rafting a thing of the past. He was an Indian of the Cornplanter family, and must have been well on the corner of the property of th planter family, and must have been well on toward a hundred years old. They tell hundreds of tales of Indian John's exploits as a raftsman, a calling that was attend-ed with constant danger and great hardship. I remember well one act of his that showed the coolness and bravery of the

"It was in the days when the lower Pennsylvania oil districts were supplied with nitro-glycerin from the isolated factories in the woods of Warren and McKean coun-ties. The explosive wasn't manufactured elsewhere in the region then to any extent. The nitro-glycerin was run down the Al-legheny in stiletto shaped boats thirty feet ong and four feet wide. Each boat carried about 10,000 pounds of the stuff, and each boat was manned by two men. They ran swiftly in the current, and the weight of their cargo was so great that in case of a their cargo between one of these boats and collision between one of these boats and other craft in the river the chances were ten to one that it would be followed by hor-

rible consequences, and everything else on the river gave them a wide berth. "The men who ran these nitro-glycerin boats had strict orders to tie up whenever night overtook them, and not to run a minute after dark. These men, as may well be imagined, were absolutely without fear, and managed their death bearing craft with a nonchaiance and independence that was a source of perpetual terror to the crews of ordinary boats, to raftmen and to the citizens of the towns past which they ran.

or near which they tied up.
"On one occasion the crew of a nitroglycerin boat were overtaken by darkness at a lonely spot where there was noth-ing but deep woods on either side. The night was cold, and it is presumed that the men were hungry. The men were Jake Barry and Dick Spooner, better known as 'Devil Dick,' from his recklessness in hand-ling nitro-glycerin while hauling it in wagons to the mills or in unloading it. It is known that these were the men, because they had started down the river with a boat load of nitro-glycerin, which they never delivered at its destination, and they were not seen in the oil regions again. It is supposed that, after being overtaken by darkness, they decided to keep on until they got near to Brady's bend yillage be-fore they tied up. Of this I am positive, anyhow—it was a dark night. I know this, because I was a passenger on one of my rafts, which Indian John was piloting, and we were making for Brady's bend ourselves for the night. We were nearing the place. and the raft was being gradually pulled

ashore, when we heard some one shout ou of the darkness, not far astern: "'Look out, there, you fellows! Jump!' "Then we heard two splashes in the water. We didn't know what it meant. We couldn't see anything behind us, and the men on the raft kept pulling in for shore. men on the raft kept pulling in for snore. Then out of the darkness an object bore down upon us dimly, scraped the hind end of the raft, and came gently on down, gliding noiselessly along the side of the raft. Then one of our men yelled:

"'A torpedo boat?"

"For a moment we were all terror stricken but quickly saw that all danger to us

en, but quickly saw that all danger to us from the boat was past. Everything was plain to us now. The boat had been aban-doned by its crew when they discovered us ahead in the darkness, and expected the collision that would have rent us to atoms. But Indian John thought quicker and fur-ther ahead than we did. Like a flash he thought it out that if that boat went or down the river with its cargo of destru tion it would surely come in contact with something affoat or ashore with conse quences horrible to contemplate. He no sooner thought than he acted. The boat had gone on past us, or rather our raft, drifting shoreward, had parted from the boat. It was no longer visible, at least to me. Indian John jumped overboard and likewise disappeared. It could not have been more than ten seconds when the old Indian's voice shouted to us from somewhere out in the river:

"Me got it him! Me run it him in and tie!" JOCKO FIELDS

"And so he did, guiding the nitro-glycer-in boat through the darkness that was by Another Good Player.

In boat through the darkness that was by this time utterly impenetrable, and brought it to shore at a place of safety. When it is known that a slight miscalculation of distance or locality might have brought that deadly craft into forcible collision with a rock on the shore or bottom, and its pilot would have been scattered to the winds, the nerve and skill it required for that old riverman to voluntarily take the right to The Team Is Now Complete and the Men Are Hard at Work-Other Sporting News.

riverman to voluntarily take the risk to avert possibly greater loss of life and de-struction may be imagined. "Whether Jake Barry and Devil Dick succeeded in getting ashore or whether they were drowned no one ever knew. If they in Brady's bend. If they had, after the news got around, they might just as well have been drowned or staid on their boat ing and afternoon.

Callahan looks just as he did when he

left Atlanta last fall and is in excellent shape. He has been keeping himself in condition all winter and is now ready for work. Fields is always in shape and will be in trim when the season opens.

Manager Knowles has closed with another catcher, who will be here today. He s a youngster named Russell, and comes

and this afternoon at the park. STROUTHERS HAS SEVEN.

age which Noah Raby claims to have attained. Noah lives at the poor farm in Piscataway township, Middlesex county, Reporting for Work. New Jersey, and is in pretty good health, and of late years has developed a fancy plejack. Being of southern birth, he should take corn whisky in preference to rve, but possibly his taste has become vitiated, or improved, by long absence

A MAIDEN WON THE PURSE

Club Was a Disappointment. Carolinian, while his father, who was called Andrew Bass, was an Indian. His

nalf seconds.

First race—Six furlongs. George F.
Smith, 119, Martir, 10 to 9, won; David
second, Nick third. Time 1:16½.

Second race—Half mile. Scribe, 108, Martin, 3½ to 1, won; Clifford, Jr., second, Second, Nick third. Time 1:10-2.

Second race—Half mile. Scribe, 108, Martin, 3½ to 1, won; Clifford, Jr., second, Lear third, Time, 51.

Third race—Mile and an eighth. Tennessee Derby, value \$5,000, Berclair, 109, Trorpe; 3 to 5, won; Lady Inex, 117. Perkins, 5 to 4, second; Ben Eder 122, J. Tabor, 5 to 4, third. Time 1:55%.

Rookwood, Damien, Cotton King, Whisper, Frontier and Gretchen A also ram.

Fourth race—Half mile. Ollean, 110, Burns, 15 to 1, won; Izeyl second, Marcie third. Time 5:0½.

Fifth race—One mile, selling. Mopsy, 104, A. Barrett, 8 to 1, won; Sandival second, Tancred third. Time not taken.

Sixth race—Mile. Helen Mar, 25, Crieff, 3½ to 1, won; Miss Clark second, Leonard B. third. Time 1:45.

Entries at Memphis for Today.

Entries at Memphis for Today.

to become his better half, but she had transferred her affections to his successor as overseer, and Raby lost his chance of John P. 121, Clinton 124.

Second race, one-half mile, Albert Vale, 108, Our Bishop 108, Lincoln 108, Goose Liner 108, Dunmore 108, Ivory 108.

Third race, one mile, Tramby 91, Nat P. 96. Ada M. 96, Fay Belte 101, Linda 110, Robert Latta 112. Free Advice 116 Assigne 101. Fourth race, one-half mile, Miss Kikendell 102, Ethel King 102, Leonidas 104, Little Cliff 104, Scottish Lad 104, Blue Light 104, Single Stone 164, Kettleman 104, Sycamore 107, Tarrier 107, Americus 107, Spring Board 107. John P. 121, Clinton 124. nen and the master of a plantation.

Raby left the navy at the end of his term of enlistment. He claims that while he was at Norfolk he heard General Washington speak, and "liked his manner of getting to the point directly." After Raby left the navy he worked three years in the Brooklyn navy yard and then came to New Jersey, settling on the Connecticut Fifth race, seven-eighths mile,

The old man enjoys good health and has had no serious illness since he was eighteen years old. He sleeps in an upright position in a chair, as he is subject to a rush of blood to the head. On pleasant days he walks to the well in the yard, Dublin, April 9.—At the Fairy House steeplechase meeting, which was held here in April 16th, Mr. W. C. Eustis, an American millionaire, won three races. Mr. Eustis rode his own horses and had for his competitors some of the best jockeys in Great being guidel by a wire which runs from the house. His diet is simple and consists of bread and milk, boiled rice, or fish. He weighs 100 pounds, and in his prive never weighed more than 130 pounds, "Uncle Noah" seems destined to live several years. He does not always tell the same

story about his life, but sticks to his age GEORGIA CHAUTAUQUA.

An Address by Mr. Lucian Knight, of Atlanta.

Albany, Ga., April 9 .- (Special.)-Mr. L. Knight, of Atlanta, delivered one of the most chaste and beautiful addresses this Mr. J. W. Yankee, a gentleman who but

Mr. J. W. Yankee, a gentleman who but recently became a citizen of Albany, coming here from Kentucky, died of consumption this evening.

Mr. Henry M. Hitt, a member of the firm of the Hitt Salvage Company, of Augusta, is dying at the Hotel Mayo, in this city. His brother, Dr. V. G. Hitt, of Augusta, and a younger brother are in attendance at his bedside. Mr. Hitt is also a brother of Mr. William M. Hitt, a prominent cotton man of Americus.

Pressed to the Wall.

The store of C. W. Walters was closed yesterday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Will Green on a mortgage fl. fa. in favor of J. J. & J. E. Maddox. The mortgage covered the stock of gro-ceries and fixtures in the store, and was issued in the sum of \$298.



Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsi. ness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable. Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

Along with Him Comes Billy Callahan.

A NEW CATCHER COMES TODAY

All of the Atlanta players under contract

are now in Atlanta.
Fields and Callahan came yesterday morning and with the other members of the team worked at Brisbine park in the morn-

highly recommended.

The men will work again this morning

Members of the Columbus Team Are

Columbus, Ga., April 9,—(Special.)—J. C. Strouthers, manager of the Columbus baseball club, returned this afternoon from Birmingham, where he has been busy the past two days signing his team. Only a week remains before the season opens, and recognizing the fact that the time is short. Streuthers is getting a team together a rapidly as possible. He has already signed seven men, They are Harry Hunt, of San Francisco, catcher: Lee Williamson, Ed Daniels, Roscoo Miller and Jack Hughes, pitchers; Charles Hill, shortstop, and Frank Carroll, third base.

All of the men are players of national reputation. Miller and Hill were secured from Manager McClusky, of the Louisville club. Carroll was a member of the late Little Rock team. Daniels played with the pennant-winning Nashvilles last year, and the others are well known. McGlinty, of the Little Rock team, may also be secured. Two of the players signed Hugh and Will. ball club, returned this afternoon from

the others are well known. McGinty, of the Little Rock team, may also be secured. Two of the players signed, Hunt and Wil-liamson, are already here, having arrived this afternoon. Manager Strouthers will complete the organization of his team as rapidly as possible.

Opening Day of the Memphis Jockey

Memphis, Tenn.; April 9.—The fixeen days meeting of the Memphis Jockey Club began today, the track being fast, the crowd about 10,000 and the sport disappointing.

The disappointment was due to the start-The disappointment was due to the starting machine, which caused the burning of a great deal of money by leaving two favorties at the post.

The Tennessee Derby was captured by Dr. McLean's Berclair, a maiden, who lowered the derby record by three and one-half seconds.

First race, three-fourths mile, Minery 05, Becky Sharp 103, Pavan 107, Precid 10, Petrach 110, Mickle 118, Denver 12

Fifth race, seven-eighths mile, Rossimore 98, Begue 98, Hibernia Queen 99, Santa Marie 99, Sumatra 100, Lord Willow Brook 101, Little Tom 101, Joc O Sot 101, Fra Diavolo 103, Wedgefield 104, Jim Henry 104, Rondo 105, Imp. Subito 110.

Sixth race, three-fourths mile, Galley West 105, Mermaid 105, Lady Doleful 105, Nicholas 110, Albert S. 110, Lowerest 118, Overella 118, Longbrook 121, Roy Lochiel 124. drifted to Stelton and worked at odd jobs until about thirty years ago, when he became incapacitated for work and A Millionaire Rides His Own Horses.

AMERICANS DID NOT WORK.

The Olympic Games Were Interesting Yesterday.

Athens, April 2.—This was the fourth day of the olympic games. The weather, which had hitherto been mild, changed today and was exceedingly cold. This had a marked effect upon the attendance, which showed a material falling off. None of the American athletes were entered in today's events. It is understood that a large crowd will be present tomorrow to witness the finals in several of the running races. The first event on the programme today was a shooting contest at 200 meters. It was won by M. Krassevdas, a Greek, who with forty shoft scored 588 points. M. Pavlides, another Greek, was second with 49. Third and fouth places were also won by Greeks, the foreign competitors following after them.

Flack, the Australian, won the 800 meters race. His time was 2 minutes, Il seconds. A bane was second.

A saber contest between Georgiades and Kracales was won by the former.

There was several gymnastic contests in which Greeks carried off the honors.

The city continues thronged with visitors the places of those who have left being Yesterday.

which Greeks carried off the honors. The city continues thronged with visitors the places of those who have left being filled by newcomers. Among the strangers present are many who have come from the Riviera. King Alexander, the young ruler of Servia, was again today a spectator of the games. A banquet in his honor will be given at the palace tonight and there will be a repetition of the fillumination of the Acropolis and the city.

Baco-Curo tific cure for the Tobacco habit. Baco-Curo Does not depend on the will power of the user. It is the Cure. Vegetable and harmless. Baco-Curo Directions are clear: "Use all the Tobacco you want until Baco-Curo notifies you to stop."

Baco-Guro Is the Original Written Guarantee Remedy that refunds your more if it fails to cure. Baco-Curo Does the Curing. Its Competitors do the Blowing.

Investigate Baco-Curo before you buy any remedy for the Tobacco Habit. The U.S. Courts have just decided that BACO-CURO A CURE.

WHICH DO YOU OR A CURE
WANT?
OR A SUBSTITUTE
One hor \$1.00; three boxes (and guaranteed cure) \$2.50, a.
all druggstax, as send direct on results of price. Write for free
backlet a poproofs. EUESTA CREMEAT & MYR. OR, Lacepase, Will

We have notified every wholesale dealer in the United States
that we will supply them with soap
to give you FREE. Order a good
supply of GENUINE DURHAM at
once, and insist on getting your
soap. One bar of Soap FREE with
each pound you buy. Soap is
offered for a limited time, so order
to-day. Yours very truly.

to-day. Yours very truly. BLACKWELL'S DURHAM TOBACCO COMPANY.

If you have any difficulty in procuring your soap, cut out this notice and send it with your order to your wholesale dealer.

BLACKWELL'S DURHAM TOBACCO COMPANY.

Dear Sir:

2 oz., packages.

You are entitled to receive FREE from your wholesale dealer, WHITE STAR SOAP with all the

Blackwell's Genuine

Durham Smoking

Tobacco you buy. One bar of soap Free with each pound, whether 16 oz., 8 oz., 4 oz., or

A SOUTHERN "SCOOP"

Cumberland Gap.

THE SENSATION IT CAUSED

In Knoxville When It Was Made Known-Southern Now Owns All but One Knoxville Road.

Knoxville, Tenn., April 9 .- (Special.)-Knoxville woke up about 7 o'clock tonight and found herself bottled up completely The latest is a telegram to Superinten-

dent L. F. Wynne, of the Knoxville, Cumberland Gap and Louisville road, running from here to Middlesborough, Ky., stating that the Southern railway had today taken charge as its owners. The message directed the superintendent

o report to Second Vice President Baldwin, of the Southern railway, for orders The report, which cannot be doubted has caused a great sensation here, and the people are knocked silly. The Southern now owns every road going out of Knoxville except the Marietta and North Georgia, which is in the hands of the courts, and is worthless since it is cut off from the Knoxville, Cumberland Gap

and Louisville. The greatest obj the Southern buying the road is that the Louisville and Nashville had about got control of it, and was attempting to come nto Knoxville. This deal has placed Knoxville complet

y at the mercy of the Southern railway.

All About the Deal. New York, April 9 .- The Southern Rai! vay Company has acquired and will assume immediate possession of the Knox-ville, Cumberland Gap and Louisville railroad, extending from Knoxville to Cum-berland Gap. Tenn., a distance of about sixty-five miles of main line, and has sold the Cumberland Gap tunnel and conn tions to Middlesborough, Ky., to the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company, reserving trackage rights through and over the same. It will establish a junction for the exchange of business at that point with the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company. The latter company has bought the Middlesberough Belt railroad, which, together with the Cumber-land Gap, Tunnel and that portion of the Knoxville, Cumberland Gap and Lou's-ville railroad, which now forms the con-nection between the tunnel and the city

of Middlesborough, will be added to its

main line.

PERSONAL.

C. J. Daniel, wall paper, window shades, turniture and room molding, 40 Marietta treet. Send for samples. IN SEARCH OF A BRIDE. The Ex-King of Servia Wants To

Marry a Rich American Girl. From The Philadelphia Press. It looks more than probable that some fortunate or unfortunate American actress will soon marry an European ruler. Her husband-to-be is only the sovereign of a petty kingdom, but all the same she will be a full-fledged queen. Ex-King Milan, of Servia, has just an-

in-law in the match.

But this need not discourage young American heiresses, ambitious to sit on an European throne, for King Alexander has not a dollar to his name and is head over ears in debt and head over ears in love with ony one who will help him out of his financial straits. King Alexander's future wife need not

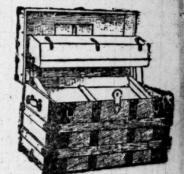
anticipate trouble from rivals. King Alexander's proposals have been rejected in turn by the Grand Duchess Xenia, of Russia, by the elder daughter of Grand Duke Vladimir, by Princess Sybil of Hesse, by the German empress' sister, Feodora, and by a number of other princesses, including even the young ex-Queen Mercedes, of Spain, who resigned in name during the six months that intervened be-tween the death of her father and the birth of her brother, little King Alphonso XIII, Indeed, the advances of King Alexan-der, when not treated with contempt, have der, when not treated with contempt, have been received almost as insult, and, to the dismay of his people, he had to give up all ideas of consolidating his throne and his dynasty by wedding a royal princess. When his mother. Queen Natalle, put forward the name of Princess Anna, of Montenegro, as a suitable consort for her son this winter, it was thought that a match had at last been arranged. In order to set King Alexander up in royal order to set King Alexander up in royal housekeeping Queen Natalie sold her vast estates in the Crimea and Bessarabia, ex-King Milan having managed to extort from his son all the accumulations of the lat-ter's minority. But, was! All her plans have been nipped in the bud, for Prin-cess Anna of Montenegro has jilted her

Death of Ex-Governor Koerner. St. Louis, Mo., Apr. 1 2.—Ex-Licutenant Governor Gustav F. Koener, of Illinois, died at his residence at Belleville, Ill., this mora-ing. He was born in Frankfort on the Main, Germany, in 1800. He was United States minister to Spain under Lincola.

young affianced.

IMPORTANT TO LADIES NEW AUTOMATIC

It Has Just Bought the Knoxville and REVOLVING TRAY TRUNK. NO STRAIN ON THE BACK.



So easy that a child can work it. See it and you will buy no other.

Manufactured and for sale ONLY at

Lieberman's Trunk Factory 92 WHITEBALL ST.

Wanted! More customers to send their

Laundry to Guthman's Steam Laundry, ENLARGED AND REMODELED,

The Finest Steam Laundry in the South. Telephone 610. 130 and 132 Peachtree SE Suits Cleaned Dyed and Pressed

AGENTS WANTED IN OTHER TOWNS. -

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as guardian of his three minor children—Maude B., Janet A. and Bessie W. Tompkins—intends to apply to the honorable judge of the superior court of Fulton county, on the 2d day of May, 1896, at Atlanta, in said state and county, for an order to sell and reinvest the proceeds arising from the following described real property belonging to the estate of said minors, to-wit:

Lot on the southwest corner of West Peachtree and Linden streets, in the city of Atlanta, Ga., fronting 186 feet, more or less, on the west side of West Peachtree street and running back along the south side of Linden street 200 feet; thence running 186 feet, more or less, south along a 20-foot alley; thence turning east and running 200 feet, more or less, south along the west side of West Peachtree; thence turning north and running along the west side of West Peachtree street 186 feet, more or less, to point of beginning, on which lot there is a residence and outhouses.

Also a vacant lot fronting 45 feet on the

which lot there is a residence and houses.

Also a vacant lot fronting 45 feet on the west side of West Peachtree street and running back same width 200 feet to a 20-foot alley, said lot lying between Hunnicutt avenue and the lot first above described, its north line being about 145 feet south from said first above described lot. The reason for making this application is that the proceeds of said property may be invested in securities authorized by the law of Georgia to be purchased and held by guardians.

This, 2d day of April, 1896.

Dy guardians.

This, 2d day of April, 1896.

HENRY B. TOMPKINS, Quardian.

apr3 10 17 24 fri

Ex-King Milan, of Servia, has just announced officially that he will start for New York in May. He goes to the United States with the express purpose of finding some one with plenty of money who would be willing to marry the present ruler of Servia, King Alexander. For the exchange of her shekels it is stipulated that the bride-to-be shall be formally elevated to the nobility, after which the marriage will take place in royal style.

In contracting this unequal matrimonial alliance, ex-King Milan is to provide that King Alexander secures absolute control of his millionaire bride's money. Queen Natallie, the mother of the royal bride-groom-to-be, evidently does not favor this scheme of King Milan, and there is, therefore, a bright prospect of too much motherin-law in the match. avenue 639 feet from the eastern boundary
of the Boulevard, thence running north,
214 feet to an alley, thence east 50 feet,
thence south 214 feet to East avenue,
thence west along north side of East avenue,
sold for the purpose of removing encumbrances thereon and for reinvestment. W. B. WILLINGHAM,
Guardian for Thomas L., Sarah, Winborn
and Mildred Willingham.

mar 27-4t fri mar 27-4t fri

EORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's Office, April 9, 1896. D. J. Baker, administrator of Georgia A. Spraggins, has applied for leave to sell the land of said deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned to file their objections, it any they have, on or before the first Monday in May next, else leave will then be granted said applicant, as applied for.—W. L. CALHOUN, Ordinary.

apr 10 15 23 30

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's Office, April 8, 1896.—W. L. Peel, executor of Philip Cook, represents that he has fully discharged the duties of his said trust and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned to show cause, if any they can on or before the first Monday in July next why said executor should not be discharged from said trust.

W. L. CALHOUN, Ordinary, apr 10-3m thur

NOTICE.

Pursuant to an order passed this day by Fulton superior court, I will receive sealed bids until April 11, 1896, to 8:30 o'clock a. m.. for the entire stock of the Old Book. Store Company, contained in the store-rooms at No. 28 Marietta street. Atlanta, Ga. (except iron safe) said stock consisting of books, stationery, relics, picture molding, frames, framed pictures, relics, curiosities, shelving, showcases, fixtures, entire files of Atlanta Constitution (about 5 each) for last twelve years, and all other stock and fixtures in said storerooms. Bids will be opened at 8:30 a. m. April 11, 185, in presence of judge of the superior centrand the sale to be subject to his approval March 28, 1896. W. B. BURKE, Received medical-4t—tues-thus-tues-fri

ALDERMEN CONCUR

Board Unanimously Approves the New City Hall Proposition.

PAPER GOES TO MAYOR KING

Taking Action.

IH He Will Carefully Examine It Before

I'S NOT MADE UP HIS MIND FULLY YET

Aldermen Concur in the Auburn Ave nue Paving Ordinance and Jones Avenue Bridge Matter.

Just as foretold in The Constitution mosday last, the aldermanic board of council unanimously approved the pi ce of the Venable Bros. new city proposition at the meeting yesterday ernoon Not a single dissenting voice was heard when the roll was called for

Every member of the board was present except Alderman Howell, He is one of the most enthusiastic supporters of the proposition, and would have voted to concur in the action of the council in accepting offer of the Messrs. Venable had he

This morning the paper will go to the hands of Mayor King for approval. He has four days in which to attach his name document or to send in a veto mes sage. He has not given out an indicatio

King was informed of the action of the aldermanic board by a representative of The Constitution last night. He was not in his office during the afternoon after the board meeting, and had not heard of the disposition of the matter. He said that he did not know what he would do about

have not made up my mind about the matter yet and really do not know what in struction I will take," said Mayor King. "The of the restion is a very important one, and I by all gall look well into it before making a neeting al decision. The papers did not reach he subjy office this afternoon, and until the mat-The rr is formally before me I cannot properly

Auburn Avenue Paving. The ordinance directing the paying of uburn avenue from Pryor street to Butler street was unanimously concurred in by the aldermanic board yesterday after-

by the aldermanic board yesterday aftermoon. The thoroughfare will be paved with
small granite blocks at an estimated cost
of about \$24,000.

The paper will go to the hands of Mayor
King this morning, and it is almost certain that he will approve it. There is no
opposition to the project, and unless some
error is discovered in the wording of the
ordinance, it will be signed by Mayor King,
it is believed. The demand for a street
pavement on Auburn avenue has been constantly growing for a long time, and all
of the residents of the street are about
to be made happy at last in the success of
their efforts.

To Build the Bridge.

ses avenue bridge resolution approved by the board. The paper carries a transfer of \$1,485 from the bridge repair fund to the Jones avenue bridge fund, the fund to the Jones avenue bridge fund, the amount covering the deficiency in the original appropriation. The lowest bid was that of the Toledo Bridge Company, \$16,-485. Only \$15,000 was set aside to build the bridge, and at the council meeting Monday the additional sum was ordered to be transferred. The contract will be signed with the bridge company, and the work will begin at once.

The resolution adopted by the council directing the employment of Capitain Amos.

directing the employment of Captain Amos Baker as assistant license inspector for six months, was not acted on. The resolution seeks to give him a place at \$60 per month. The matter was allowed to go over until the next meeting of the board. For a Public Market.

The public market resolution was con-curred in. The committee on public build-ings and grounds will be instructed to look into the question of establishing a

public market house for the sale of produce of all kinds.

The board concurred in the ordinance directing the paving of Cain street from Courtland avenue to Butler street with granite blocks.

The ordinance directing the opening of

granite blocks.

The ordinance directing the opening of Merritts avenue was also concurred in.

The resolution ordering the removal of the city scales to the tiangular lot at the corner of Loyd and Garnett streets was approved, but the scales will not be moved from the courthouse lot unless the county commissioners insist on such removal.

The street railroad companies will be required to put their track inclosures in good order, if the mayor signs the resolution concurred in by the board.

tees

chai
Coo
Geor
Jarn
ster,
ford,
Coo
S. E
W.
D. V
Coo
Fash
Feld
Co

MAY RETURN TODAY.

Little, Who Is Charged with Seduction, May Return to North Carolina.

Connor Little, the man who is being held at police headquarters charged with the seduction of Miss Gertie King, of Lincolnton, N. C., will probably be sent to the scene of his crime today. The requisition papers are expected to arrive this morning, and if Governor Atkinson honors them Little will leave immediately.

The prosecution in Lincolnton has sent an attorney in company with an officer to Atlanta to bring Little back if possible. He was seen last night and absolutely refused to talk of the case. He is going to take Little back if he can and would not express his opinion as to whether the fugitive is guilty or not.

Little instituted habeas corpus proceedings before Judge Berry Tuesday, who refused to grant the same, and gave the prisoner over to the charge of Chief Connolly.

Little was seen last night in his cell at Connor Little, the man who is being hel

nolly.

Little was seen last night in his cell at police headquarters, and says he is entirely innocent of the charge. He acknowledged having secured a marriage license and declares that he has done the young girl no harm. He does not seem to fear to return and meet the charge.

A telegram received from Raleigh last night states that Governor Carr makes requisition on the governor of Georgia for the prisoner. Little was once in South Carolina, and a requisition was made out for him, but he escaped.



(My mamma used Wool Soap) (I wish mine had) **WOOLENS WILL NOT SHRINK**

Raworth, Schodde & Co., Makers, Chicago.

New York Office,63 Leonard St. Bo apri31fri mon wed top or fol at Raleigh on June 25th

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

SOCIAL, CRIMINAL, RELIGIOUS AND OTHER MATTERS.

Some Local Happenings of a Day Gathered from Many Sources by Constitution Reporters.

Hon. J. H. Daniel Here. Hon. J. H. Daniel, of Franklin, Heard county, is in the city. He is an ex-member of the legislature and one of the leading attorneys and democrats of his section. Mr. Daniel has represented his county both in the house and senate. He is being prominently mentioned as an available candidate for congress in the fourth district.

A Sudden Death.

A Sudden Death.

Mr. William A. Day, of Orange, N. J., died last night at the Kimball house. He had been ill for some time with consumption. Yesterday morning he arrived from Thomasville, where he spent the winter. A sudden attack came during the day. He passed away shortly before midnight. He had many friends in this city who knew him during his connection with the Mobile and Birmingham railway. The remains will be escorted to Orange, N. J.

It Is a Mistake to think that you can obtain the four magnificent volumes of the American Encyclopædic Dictionary at any time for \$1 cash and \$1.25 monthly for twelve months. As soon as the 200 introductory sets are exhausted the original price will prevail.

Had Valuable Tools. Two colored boys by the names of Ed Jones and George Holmes were arrested by Officer Harrls yesterday for idling and loitering. Quite a number of carpenters' tools were found in their possession.

Off to Asheville Mr. Gearge B. Walter, Jr., who has been making the Hotel Marion his headquarters when in the south, representing the firm of Smith & Angell, manufacturers and importers, will leave for Asheville, N. C., tomorrow on account of bad health, and take

A Footpad Caught. One of the negro footpads who attacked and robbed Mrs. Leeds Greenleaf, on West Peachtree Wednesday afternoon, was captured by Officers Harris and Taylor yesterday. He stoutly denies his guilt. He was identified, however, by children who were near by and the metorman who happened to be passing on his car at the time.

Escaped Prisoner Caught.

Last August nine prisoner escaped from the jall in Marietta and have been at large ever since. The officers in Atlanta have been on the outlook for them and yesterday a big negro by the name of Jordan Willams, one of the number, was caught on Capitol avenue, by Officer Stallings. He is now in a cell at police headquarters, and will probably be sent back to Marietta in a few days. a few days.

Will Give a Benefit.

The members of the Atlanta Turn Vere Society will give a gymnastic exhibition at hop on next Tuesday evening and the preceds will be used to aid the society in extraining the convention of Turn Verein ers, which meets in Atlanta on June 8th.

THE PASSING THRONG.

Augusta delegation which came up yesterday and registered at the Kimball, Who ever registered the party wrote "Senator Patrick Walsh" on the register.

Some time later the ex-senator can dong and saw that "senator" written there. He does not like that sort of thing and he picked up a pen and put his wellknown but illegible autograph on the same line. The "senator" was completely buried under the tall, angular lines which the editor wrote himself and one who did not know the signature in the dark would never have recognized either of the hand writings.'

Mr. Dyer, who was in the Augusta party, has been a great developer. He has brought a large amount of capital to Augusta and is what Sam Jones would call one of the most leadingest citizens." He ley cars and now he is interested in a score of enterprises connected with Au gusta's progress.

Colonel F. B. Papy, of the Plant system's department, was at the Aragon yesterday. His headquarters are in Savan-

Among others at the Aragon were: F N. McLeod, Providence, E. W. Newcomb, Chicago; C. D. Portwood, Lexington, Ky.; Miss Tousey and Miss Ker. New York: H Prince, New York; R. F. Armstrong, Indianapolis.

At the Kimball yesterday were: George C. Smith, W. H. Jewell, Adolph Joseph Milledgeville; E. B. Ezell, Eatonton: A. Albright and wife, Newnan; L. C. Hayne, J. R. Lamar, P. G. Burum, F. B. DeBerard, William G. Eve and Bowdre Phinazee, Augusta; F. G. Boatwright, G. Manard, Tifton; J. Rice Smith, Augusta; Charles Taunton, Cuthbert.

Hal Moore, who was for years connected with different papers throughout the state, came up from Augusta yesterday. He may get back into active newspaper work again before long.

The Markham had an exposition day, so to speak, with page after page of its register filled. Among the travelers who stopped there were: W. S. Fender and wife, Valdosta; Miss Nita Fender, Manchester; J. M. Neel, L. E. Atkinson, Cartersville; Warren Alken, Cartersville: James H. Skelton, J. M. Thornton, Hartwell: E. C. Hughes, Sedalia, Mo.; T. P. Sullivan, Simeon Sargent, Concord, N. H.

Among the arrivals at the Hotel Marion yesterday were: John A. Bauerlein, Nash-ville, Tenn.; H. M. Fell, Indianapolis; A. O. Pattengill, Buffalo, N. Y.; T. M. Leach, North Carolina; J. J. Whitfield, Hawkins wille, Ga.; W. M. Hutchinson, Lexington, Ky.; A. T. Logan and son, Americus, Ga.; G. C. Cronan, Orange, Mass.; J. W. Hendrie, Chicago: John M. Brady, Fayette-ville, Tenn.: H. Lee, Fayetteville, Tenr.; E. T. Page, Jr., Virginia; W. Ivie, Chat-tanooga; G. R. Putnam, Washington, Fayette-

TWO OF A KIND.

A Thief Steals form a Thief in Jail Last Night.

The fact that imprisonment seems to have little effect on some criminals was forcibly evidenced by a little incident that occurred at the police station last night. It was the case of a tramp stealing from a

James Coswell is the name of a man of about thirty-five, who applied last night at the station for a night's lodging. He was ushered to a cell and soon became acquainted with Frank Stallings, the man who is serving a sentence for stealing flowers from the cemetery. Stallings happened to leave his cell for a few minutes, and during his absence Coswell improved the opportunity and went into Stallings's boudoir and stole his comb and brush and handsome leather case. A search was immediately instituted for the missing articles and they were found on the person of Coswell. A cast of disorderly conduct was entered against him and he will now enjoy the hospitality of this rude hostelry a little longer than he expected. James Coswell is the name of a man of

Joins the U. C. V. Savannah, Ga., April 9 .- (Special.)-The Confederate Veterans' Association, of this city, decided to go into the United Confederate Veterans as Camp'No. 756. This action will be reported to headquarters at once. Action with regard to a union with the Lafayette McLaws camp here was

postponed. State Convention on June 25th. Raleigh, N. C., April 9.—The democratic state committee met here tonight, and is-sued a call for a state convention to meet

JONES ON HARRY HILL

Writes a Letter to the Governor Requesting a Pardon for Harry.

HE HAS SUFFERED ENOUGH

The Evangelist Thinks That Harry Should Receive Executive Clemency-What He Says.

Governor Atkinson has received an urgent letter from Sam Jones requesting executive clemency in behalf of Harry Hill. It is the opinion of the eminent evangel-

ist that Harry should be pardoned; that

he has suffered sufficiently. "Harry Hill," says Mr. Jones, "is a noble, kind-hearted man with a hundred noble traits for every grievous fault. It seems to me that justice has been fully met and that mercy should now take its

The letter from Mr. Jones is only one of the governor since the recommendation by the advisory committee. These letters con from all parts of the state. Most of them urged that the prisoner be pardoned as soon as possible, but there were some who objected. Several well-known Atlanta ladies have addressed the governor asking him to refuse the application for pardon It is their opinion that Harry Hill should serve out his full sentence and they hav notified the governor accordingly. On the other hand, strenuous appeals have been made for the governor to exercise They think that Harry has been

subjected to enough misery.
Some time ago when the pardon advisory committee was at work they leoked well into the case of Harry Hill. They visited the camp, examined the record of the faus convict, looked over the details his trial and reached a decision to the effect that Hill should be pardoned. This recommendation was filed with the governor with a number of others examined by the committee. Many of these recom-mendations have already been acted upon favorably. Few remain and among them is the application of Harry Hill. It is probable that this may be acted upon

There is no telling the probable decision of the governor in regard to the case. He has read carefully all letters receive reference to it. Upon his return from Fitz-gerald was the letter from Sam Jones. The letter was as follows:

The letter was as follows:

"Cartersville, Ga., April 4, 1896.—Governor
W. Y. Atkinson, Atlanta, Ga. My. Dear
Governor: I seldom use my tongue or pen
in questions belonging to the executive
or judicial matters of the state, but I am
constrained under the circumstances. To

in questions belonging to the explaint or judicial matters of the state, but I am constrained under the circumstances to write a few words in reference to the pardon of Mr. Harry Hill.

"I know Harry personally. He may have sinned grievously, but he has suffered intensely, and I hope you can see it to be your duty to extend chemency to him. It seems to me that justice has been fully met and mercy should now take its place. Harry Hill is a noble, kind-hearted man with a hundred noble traits for every grievous fault. I believe you will make no mistake if you pardon him. As an humble citizen of this state who has stood for law and order, championing all that is good and denouncing all that is wrong, I earnestly join with thousands of others asking for the pardon of Harry Hill.

"With best wishes for you personally and your family, and the highest admiration for both your ability and inflexible integrity. I am your friend,
"SAM P. JONES."

INDIAN JOHN'S NERVE.

Adventure of an Allegheny Raftsman with a Cargo of Nitro-Glycerin.

from The New York Sun. "John Jeffersy, or 'Indian John,' as he was called, who died near Tionesta, Pa., the other day," said C. P. McDermott, a western Pennsylvania lumber operator, "was one of the last of the old-time Allegheny river pilots, the men who guided the mmense pine rafts from the headwaters o Pittsburg in the days before the big the days before the big wilderness and made rationals came into the wilderness and made rafting a thing of the past. He was an Indian of the Cornplanter family, and must have been well on toward a hundred years old. They tell hundreds of tales of Indian John's exploits as a raffisman, a calling that was a treat as a raftsman, a calling that was attended with constant danger and great hardship. I remember well one act of his that showed the coolness and bravery of the

man. "It was in the days when the lower Penn sylvania oil districts were supplied with nitro-glycerin from the isolated factories in the woods of Warren and McKean counties. The explosive wasn't manufactured elsewhere in the region then to any extent. The nitro-glycerin was run down the Allegheny in stiletto shaped boats thirty feet long and four feet wide. Each boat carried about 10,000 pounds of the stuff, and each boat was manned by two men. They ran swiftly in the current, and the weight of their cargo was so great that in case of collision between one of these boats and comision between one of these boas and other craft in the river the chances were ten to one that it would be followed by horrible consequences, and everything else on the river gave them a wide berth.

"The men who ran these nitro-glyceria when the chance of the control of th

boats had strict orders to tie up whenever night overtook them, and not to run a min-ute after dark. These men, as may well be imagined, were absolutely without and managed their death bearing craft with a nonchaiance and independence that was a source of perpetual terror to the crews of ordinary boats, to raftmen and to the citizens of the towns past which they ran, or near which they tied up. "On one occasion the crew of a nitro-

glycerin boat were overtaken by dark-ness at a lonely spot where there was nothing but deep woods on either side. The night was cold, and it is presumed that the men were hungry. The men were Jake Barry and Dick Spooner, better known as Devil Dick,' from his recklessness in hand-ling nitro-glycerin while hauling it in wagons to the mills or in unloading it. It is known that these were the men, because they had started down the river with a boat load of nitro-glycerin, which they never delivered at its destination, and the were not seen in the oil regions again. I is supposed that, after being overtaken by darkness, they decided to keep on until they got near to Brady's bend yillage be-fore they tied up. Of this I am positive, anyhow—it was a dark night. I know this, because I was a passenger on one of my rafts, which Indian John was piloting, and we were making for Brady's bend ourselves for the night. We were nearing the place and the raft was being gradually pulled ashore, when we heard some one shout out

of the darkness, not far astern:
"'Look out, there, you fellows! Jump!'
"Then we heard two splashes in the water. We didn't know what it meant. We couldn't see anything behind us, and the men on the raft kept pulling in for shore. Then out of the darkness an object bore down upon us dimly, scraped the hind end of the raft, and came gently on down, glid-ing noiselessly along the side of the raft. Then one of our men yelled: "'A torpedo boat!"
"For a moment we were all terror strick

en, but quickly saw that all danger to us en, but quickly saw that all danger to us from the boat was past. Everything was plain to us now. The boat had been abandoned by its crew when they discovered us ahead in the darkness, and expected the collision that would have rent us to atoms. But Indian John thought quicker and further ahead than we did. Iake a flash he thought it out that if that boat went on down the river with its cargo of destruc-tion it would surely come in contact with something affect or ashore with conse-quences horrible to contemplate. He no sooner thought than he acted. The boat had gone on past us, or rather our raft, drifting shoreward, had parted from the

boat. It was no longer visible, at least to me. Indian John jumped overboard and likewise disappeared. It could not have been more than ten seconds when the old Indian's voice shouted to us from somewhere out in the river:
"'Me got it him! Me run it him in and

"And so he did, guiding the nitro-glycerin boat through the darkness that was by it to shore at a place of safety. When it tance or locality might have brought that deadly craft into forcible collision with a rock on the shore or bottom, and its pilot would have been scattered to the winds, the nerve and skill it required for that old riverman to voluntarily take the risk to avert possibly greater loss of life and de-

struction may be imagined. "Whether Jake Barry and Devil Dick succeeded in getting ashore or whether they were drowned no one ever knew. If they did get ashore they didn't show themselves in Brady's bend. If they had, after the news got around, they might just as well have been drowned or staid on their boat and been blown up, for they never would have seen daylight again."

OVER A CENTURY OLD

A Man Who Was Born Before the

From The New York Times Three-score years and ten is the allotted life of man. To add 54 years-a goodly age for men to live-to the allotted life, makes a person remarkable. That is the age which Noah Raby claims to have attained. Noah lives at the poor farm in Piscataway township, Middlesex county, New Jersey, and is in pretty good health. and of late years has for an occasional glass of rye or old ap plejack. Being of southern birth, he hould take corn whisky in preference to rye, but possibly his taste has become vitiated, or improved, by long absence

rom his native heath.

If Noah Raby is as old as he claims to be, and there are many people in Piscata-way who believe his statement, he is the oldest man in the state, if not in the country. Henry G. Hummer, the oversee over fifty years, and is firm in the belief that he is at least 110 years old. "Uncle bors, looks to be more than a centenaria? as he sits in his old-fashioned armchair by the fireside. He is short of stature and nuch bent with age. He became about ten years ago, yet at times his eyes sparkle as though he had his sight. His shoulders are pretty well contracted, but the muscles of his arms and legs are nearly as firm as they were a quarter of

entury ago. Raby has no teeth, and when talking he emits a sort of sharp whistling sour which is rather startling until one hecomes accustomed to it. His v strong and clear and his laugh He has a distinctly southern accent. Raby says he was born at Eatontown Gates county, North Carolina, on April 1,

His mother, Sarah Raby, was a South Carolinian, while his father, who was called Andrew Bass, was an Indian. His parents were not married. His mother desired to marry when Raby was seven years old, and he was bound out to farmer named Miles Field. Raby says that he commenced to smoke when six years old, and has "used whisky for nearly the same time off and on" but claims he was "never drunk but three times in his life." When he was wentyone years old he was hired by a widow for \$200 a year. Next he was hired by her daughter-in-law who also was a widow and it was his intention to "get into her good graces and marry her," and her property, which consisted of lands and slaves he had a faint heart and dared no

ell his love. Raby's half-brother persuaded him to go to sea, and he joined the Constitution When he came back he asked the widow to become his better half, but she had transferred her affections to his successor s overseer, and Raby lost his chance of becoming the husband of a handsome women and the master of a plantation. Raby left the navy at the end of his term of enlistment. He claims that while he was at Norfolk he heard General Washington speak, and "liked his manner of getting to the point directly." After Raby left the navy he worked three years the Brooklyn navy yard and then came New Jersey, settling on the Connecticut farms, which Peter Kane owned. Then he drifted to Stelton and worked at odd jobs until about thirty years ago, when

he became incapacitated for work and was sent to the poor farm.

The old man enjoys good health and has had no serious illness since he was eighteen years old. He sleeps in an upright position in a chair, as he is subject to a rush of blood to the head. On pleasant days he walks to the well in the yard, being guidel by a wire which runs from the house. His diet is simple and consists of bread and milk, boiled rice, or fish. He weighs 100 pounds, and in his prive never weighed more than 130 pounds. "Uncle Noah" seems destined to live several Noah" years. He does not always tell the story about his life, but sticks to his age tale.

GEORGIA CHAUTAUQUA.

An Address by Mr. Lucian Knight, of

Atlanta. Albany, Ga., April 9.—(Special.)—Mr. L. L. Knight, of Atlanta, delivered one of the most chaste and beautiful addresses this afternoon ever heard from a chautauqua

Mr. J. W. Yankee, a gentleman who but recently became a citizen of Albany, com-ing here from Kentucky, died of consumpmr. Henry M. Hitt, a member of the firm of the Hitt Salvage Company, of Augusta, is dying at the Hotel Mayo, in this city. His brother, Dr. V. G. Hitt, of Augusta, and a younger brother are in attendance at his bedside. Mr. Hitt is also a brother of Mr. William M. Hitt, a

Pressed to the Wall.

prominent cotton man of Americus

The store of C. W. Walters was closed yesterday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Will Green on a mortgage fl. fa. in favor of J. J. & J. E. Maddox.

The mortgage covered the stock of groceries and fixtures in the store, and was issued in the sum of \$298.



Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable. Small Pill. Small Dose.

Small Price.

Another Good Player.

A NEW CATCHER COMES TODAY

The Team Is Now Complete and the Men Are Hard at Work-Other Sporting News.

All of the Atlanta players under contract re now in Atlanta. Fields and Callahan came yesterday morning and with the other members team worked at Brisbine park in the morn-

shape. He has been keeping himself it be in trim when the season opens. Manager Knowles has closed with an-

is a youngster named Russell, and comes and this afternoon at the park.

Reporting for Work.

Columbus, Ga., April 2,—(Special.)—J. C. Strouthers, manager of the Columbus base ball club, returned this afternoon from Birmingham, where he has been busy the past two days signing his team. Only a week remains before the season opens, and recognizing the fact that the time is short, Streuthers is getting a team together as rapidly as possible. He has already signed streuthers is getting a team together is rapidly as possible. He has already signed seven men. They are Harry Hunt, or San Francisco, catcher: Lee Williamson, Ed Daniels, Roscoe Miller and Jack Hughes, pitchers; Charles Hill, shortstop, and Frank Carroll, third base.

Frank Carroll, third base.

All of the men are players of national reputation. Miller and Hill were secured from Manager McClusky, of the Louisville club. Carroll was a member of the late Little Rock team. Daniels played with the pennant-winning Nashvilles last year, and the others are well known. McCintv, of the Little Rock team, may also be secured. Two of the players signed, Hurt and Williamson, are already here, having arrived this afternoon. Manager Strouthers will complete the organization of his team as rapidly as possible.

A MAIDEN WON THE PURSE.

Club Was a Disappointment. appointing.

The disappointment was due to the starting machine, which caused the burning of a great deal of money by leaving two favorites at the post.

The Tennessee Derby was captured by Dr. McLean's Berclair, a maiden, who lowered the derby record by three and one-half seconds.

ered the derby record by three and one-half seconds.

First race—Six furlongs. George F. Smith, 119, Martir, 10 to 9, won; David second, Nick third. Time 1:161½.

Second race—Half mile. Scribe, 108, Martin, 3½ to 1, won; Clifford, Jr., second, Lear third. Time .51.

Third race—Mile and an eighth. Tennessee Derby, value \$5,000, Berclair, 109, Trorpe, 3 to 5, won; Lady Inex, 117, Perkins, 5 to 4, second; Ben Eder 122, J. Tabor, 5 to 4, third, Time 1:55½.

Rookwood, Damien, Cotton King, Whisper, Frontier and Gretchen A also ran.

Fourth race—Half mile. Ollean, 110, Burns, 15 to 1, won; Leyl second, Marcie third, Time .50½.

Fifth race—One mile, selling, Mopsy, 104, A. Barrett, 8 to 1, won; Sandival second.

A. Barrett, 8 to 1, won; Sandival second, Tancred third. Time. not taken, Sixth race—Mile. Helen Mar, 25, Crieff, 3½ to 1, won; Miss Clark second, Leonard B. third. Time 1:45.

A Millionaire Rides His Own Horses. Dublin, April 9.—At the Pairy House stee-plechase meeting, which was held here in April 16th, Mr. W. C. Eustis, an American millionaire, won three races. Mr. Eustis rode his own horses and had for his com-petitors some of the best jockeys in Great Britain.

AMERICANS DID NOT WORK.

Yesterday.

Athens, April 9.—This was the fourth day of the olympic games. The weather, which had hitherto been mild, changed today and was exceedingly cold. This had a marked effect upon the attendance, which showed a material falling off. None of the American athletes were entered in today's events. It is understood that a large crowd will be present tomorrow to witness the finals in several of the running races. The first event on the programme today was a shooting conjest at 200 meters. It was won by M. Krassevdas, a Greek, who with forty shots scored 588 points. M. Pavlides, another Greek, was second with 44. Third and fouth places were also won by Greeks, the foreign competitors following after them.

Flack, the Australian, won the 800 meters acc. His time was 2 minutes, 11 seconds. A Dane was second.

A saber contest between Georgiades and Kracales was won by the former.

There was several gymnastic contests in which Greeks carried off the honors.

Kracales was won by the former.

There was several gymnastic contests in which Greeks carried off the honors.

The city continues thronged with visitors the places of those who have left being filled by newcomers. Among the strangers present are many who have come from the Riviera. King Alexander, the young ruler of Servia, was again today a spectator of the games. A banquet in his honor will be given at the palace tonight and there will be a repetition of the fillumination of the Acropolis and the city.

WHICH DO YOU OR A SUBSTITUTE

Along with Him Comes Billy Callahan,

highly recommended. The men will work again this morning

STROUTHERS HAS SEVEN.

Members of the Columbus Team Are

Entries at Memphis for Today. 108. Dunmore 108, Ivory 108.

Third race, one mile, Tramby 91, Nat P.
96. Ada M. 96, Fay Belle 101, Linda 110, Robert Latta 112. Free Advice 116 Assignee 101.

Fourth race, one-half mile, Miss Kiken-dell 102. Ethel King 102, Leonidas 104, Little Cliff 104. Scottish Lad 104, Blue Light 104, Single Stone 104, Kettleman 104. Sycamore 107, Tarrier 107, Americus 107, Spring Board 107.

107.

Fifth race, seven-eighths mile, Rossimore 98, Begue 98, Hibernia Queen 99, Santa Marie 99. Sumatra 100. Lord Willow Brook 101, Little Tom 101, Joc O Sot 101, Fra Diavolo 103, Wedgefield 104, Jim Henry 104. Rondo 105, imp. Subito 110.

Sixth race, three-fourths mile, Galley West 105, Mermaid 105, Lady Doleful 105, Nicholas 110, Albert S. 110, Lowerest 118, Overella 118, Longbrook 121, Roy Lochiel 124.

Yesterday.

Baco-Curo tific cure for the Tobacco habit. Baco-Curo ours when all other remedies fail. (Write for proofs). Baco-Curo will power of the user. It is the Cure. Vegetable and harmless. Baco-Curo "Use all the Tobacco you want until Baco-Curo noticles you to stop." Baco-Curo Is the Original Written Guarantee Remedy that refunds your more if it fails to cure.

Baco-Curo Does the Curing. Its Competitors do the Blowing. Investigate Baco-Curo before you buy any remedy for the Tobacco Habit.

ing and afternoon.

Callahan looks just as he did when he left Atlanta last fall and is in excellent condition all winter and is now ready for work. Fields is always in shape and will

Opening Day of the Memphis Jockey

Memphis, Tenn., April 9.—The fixeen ays' meeting of the Memphis Jockey lub began today, the track being fast, he crowd about 10,000 and the sport dis-

First race, three-fourths mile, Minerva 5, Becky Sharp 103, Pavan 107, Precido 0, Petrach 110, Mickle 118, Denver 121, 105, Becky Sharp 103, Pavan 107, Preciou 110, Petrach 110, Mickle 118, Denver 121, John P. 121, Clinton 124. Second race, one-half mile, Albert Vale 108, Our Bishop 108, Lincoln 108, Goose Liner 108, Dunmore 108, Ivory 108.

The Olympic Games Were Interesting

The U. S. Courts have just decided that BACO-GURO

A CURE.

We have notified every whole-sale dealer in the United States that we will supply them with soap to give you FREE. Order a good supply of GENUINE DURHAM at once, and insist on getting your soap. One bar of Soap FREE with each pound you buy. Soap is offered for a limited time, so order to-day. Yours very truly, BLACKWELL'S DURHAM

BLACKWELL'S DURHAM TOBACCO COMPANY.

DURHAM, N. C.

Dear Sir:

You are entitled to receive

FREE from your wholesale dealer, WHITE STAR SOAP with all

Blackwell's Genuine

Durham Smoking

Tobacco you buy. One bar of soap Free with each pound, whether 16 oz., 8 oz., 4 oz., or 2 oz., packages.

If you have any difficulty in procuring your soap, cut out this notice and send it with your order to your wholesale dealer. A SOUTHERN "SCOOP"

TOBACCO COMPANY.

It Has Just Bought the Knoxyille and REVOLVING TRAY TRUNK

Cumberland Gap. THE SENSATION IT CAUSED

Who Retai

In Knoxville When It Was Made Known-Southern Now Owns All but One Knoxville Road. Kinoxville, Tenn., April 9 .- (Special.)-

Knoxville woke up about 7 o'clock tonight and found herself bottled up completely by one railroad. The latest is a telegram to Superinten dent L. F. Wynne, of the Knoxville, Cumberland Gap and Louisville road, running trom here to Middlesborough, Ky., stating

hat the Southern railway had today taken charge as its owners. The message directed the superintenden o report to Second Vice President Baldwin, of the Southern railway, for orders. The report, which cannot be doubted has caused a great sensation here, and

he people are knocked silly. The Southern now owns every road going out of Knoxville except the Marietta and North Georgia, which is in the hands of the courts, and is worthless since it is cut off from the Knoxville, Cumberland Gap and Louisville. The greatest object in the Southern buying the road is that the Louisville and Nashville had about got control of it, and was attempting to come

into Knoxville.

main line.

ly at the mercy of the Southern railway. All About the Deal. New York, April 9.-The Southern way Company has acquired and will assume immediate possession of the Knox-ville, Cumberland Gap and Louisville railroad, extending from Knoxville to Cumberland Gap. Tenn., a distance of about sixty-five miles of main line, and has sold he Cumberland Gap tunnel and connections to Middlesborough, Ky., to the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company, reserving trackage rights through and over the same. It will establish junction for the exchange of business hat point with the Louisville and Nash ville Railroad Company. The latter of pany has bought the Middlesberough Belt railroad, which, together with the Cumberland Gap, Tunnel and that portion of the ville railroad, which now forms the con-

of Middlesborough, will, be added to its

nection between the tunnel and the city

PERSONAL. C. J. Daniel, wall paper, window shades furniture and room molding, 40 Marietta street. Send for samples.

IN SEARCH OF A BRIDE. The Ex-King of Servia Wants To Marry a Rich American Girl.

From The Philadelphia Press.
It looks more than probable that fortunate or unfortunate American actress will soon marry an European ruler. Her husband-to-be is only the sovereign of a petty kingdom, but all the same she will be a full-fledged queen. Ex-King Milan, of Servia, has just an nounced officially that he will start for New York in May. He goes to the United States with the express purpose of finding some one with plenty of money who would be willing to marry the present ruler of Servia, King Alexander. For the exchange

of her shekels it is stipulated that the bride-to-be shall be formally elevated to the nobility, after which the marriage will take place in royal style.

In contracting this unequal matrimonial alliance, ex-King Milan is to provide that King Alexander secures absolute control. of his millionaire bride's money. Queen Natallie, the mother of the royal bride-groom-to-be, evidently does not favor this scheme of King Milan, and there is, there-

fore, a bright prospect of too much mother-in-law in the match.

But this need not discourage young

American heiresses, ambitious to sit on an European throne, for King Alexander

has not a dollar to his name and is head over ears in debt and head over ears in love with ony one who will help him out of his financial straits.

King Alexander's future wife need not anticipate trouble from rivals. King Alexander's proposals have been rejected in turn by the Grand Duchess Nenia, of Russia, by the eider daughter of Grand Duke Vladimir, by Princess Sybil of Hesse, by the German empress' sister, Vecdora, and hy a number of other principals. of his financial straits. Feodora, and by a number of other prindeceases, including even the young ex-Queen Mercedes, of Spain, who resigned in name during the six months that intervened between the death of her father and the birth of her heather. tween the death of her father and the birth of her brother, little King Alphonso XIII. Indeed, the advances of King Alexander, when not treated with contempt, have been received almost as insult, and, to the dismay of his people, he had to give up all ideas of consolidating his throne and his dynasty by wedding a royal princess. When his mother, Queen Natalle, put forward the name of Princess Anna, of Montenegro, as a suitable consort for her son this winter, it was thought that of Montenegro, as a suitable consort for her son this winter, it was thought that a match had at last been arranged. In order to set King Alexander up in royal housekeeping Queen Natalie sold her vast estates in the Crimea and Bessarabia, ex-King Milan having managed to extort from his son all the accumulations of the latter's minority. But, 3: All her plans have been nipped in the bud, for Princess Anna of Montenegro has jilted her young afflanced.

young affianced. Death of Ex-Governor Koerner. St. Louis, Mo., Apr. 13.—Ex-Lieutenant Governor Gustav F. Koener, of Illinois, died, at his residence at Belleville, Ill., this mora-ing. He was born in Frankfort on the Main, Germany, in 1809. Es was United States minister to Spain under Lincoin. IMPORTANT TO LADIES.

NEW AUTOMATIC



So easy that a child can work it.

See it and you will buy no other.

Manufactured and for sale ONLY at Lieberman's Trunk Factory

92 WHITEHALL ST.

Wanted

More customers to send their Laundry to This deal has placed Knoxville complete-Guthman's Steam Laundry.

ENLARGED AND REMODELED.

The Finest Steam Laundry in the South.

Telephone 610. 130 and 132 Peachtree St Suits Cleaned, Dyed and Presse AGENTS WANTED IN OTHER TOWNS Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as guardian of his three minor children—Maude B., Janet A. and Bessie W. Tompkins—intends to apply to the honorable judge of the superior court of Fulton county, on the 2d day of May, 1896, at Atlanta, in said state and county, for an order to sell and reinvest the proceeds.

arising from the following described real property belonging to the estate of said minors, to-wit:

Lot on the southwest corner of West Peachtree and Linden streets, in the city of Atlanta, Ga., fronting 186 feet, more or less, on the west side of West Peachtree street and running back along the south side of Linden street 200 feet; thence running 186 feet, more or less, south along a 20-foot alley: thence turning east and running 200 feet, more or less, parallel with Linden street to West Peachtree; thence turning north and running along the west side of West Peachtree street 186 feet, more or less, to point of beginning, on which lot there is a residence and outhouses.

which lot there is a residence and outhouses.

Also a vacant lot fronting 45 feet on the west side of West Peachtree street and running back same width 200 feet to a 20-foot alley, said lot lying between Hunnicutt avenue and the lot first above described, its north line being about 145 feet south from said first above described lot. The reason for making this application is that the proceeds of said property may be invested in securities authorized by the law of Georgia to be purchased and held by guardians.

This, 2d day of April, 1896.

HENRY B. TOMPKINS, Guardian.

apr3 10 17 24 fri STATE OF GEORGIA, Fulton County—Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of April, 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the courthouse in said county. I will, as guardian for Thomas L., Sarah, Winborn and Mildred Willinghan, minors, apply to the Hon. J. H. Lumpkin, judge of the superior court of said county, for leave to sell the following described property:

That house and lot in the city of Atlanta, fronting 50 feet on Fort street, beginning at the intersection of Fort street and Weldon's alley and running south along Fort street 50 feet, thence at right angles to a fence in the rear 105 feet, thence to Weldon's alley 30 feet, thence along Weldon's alley 165 feet to the starting point. Also lot with house thereon in the city of Atlanta fronting 50 feet on Morris street, now East avenue, beginning at a point on the north side of said East avenue 699 feet from the eastern boundary of the Boulevard, thence running noth 214 feet to an alley, thence east 50 feet, thence west along north side of East avenue, thence west along north side of East avenue 50 feet to the beginning point. Said property to be sold for the purpose of removing encumbrances thereon and for reinvestment. W. B. WILLINGHAM, Guardian for Thomas L., Sarah, Winborn and Mildred Willingham.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's Office, April 9, 1896. D. J. Baker, administrator of Georgia A. Spraggins, has applied for leave to sell the land of said deceased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned to file their objections, if any they have, on or before the first Monday in May next, else leave will then be granted said applicant, as applied for—W. L. CALHOUN, Ordinary.

apr 10 15 23 30

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY Crdinary's Office, April 8, 1896.—W Poel, executor of Philip Cook, representation of the control of the apr 10-3m thur

OTICE. Pursuant to der passed this day by Fulton superior art, I will receive sealed bids until April 11, 1896, to 8:30 o'clock a.m. for the extire stock of the Old Book Company, contained in the stores at No. 38 Marietta street, Atlanta, except iron safe) said stock consistof books, stationery, relies, picture dine, frames, framed pictures, relies, enterfles, shelving, showcases, fixtures, enterfles of Atlanta Constitution (about 5 cach) for last twelve years, and all other stock and fixtures in said storerooms. Bid will be opened at 8:30 a.m. April 11, 1856 in presence of tudge of the superior carriand the sale to be subject to his approval March 28, 1896. W. B. BURKE, Receive medical-stress-thus-tues-fri

VEDDING PRESENTS.

Cut Glass. olid Silver AND ancy Goods.

We send goods on selection. Write us before you buy.

Ve also engrave Wedding ivitations and Visiting

SEND FOR OUR SAMPLES STEVENS & BRO..

don't be a

by trying to drink all of it-it's beneficial when taken in moderation-(whisky)-but must be good-try to avoid imitations ibstitutes and inferior trash-buy from

four aces rye" on sale by all first-class bars-and at our

bluthenthal

& bickart

Our Method Never Fails To Cure. All diseases that have been neglected or failed to yield to the treatment of less skillful hands soon get well under our treatment. Sufferers wishing speedy relief



Save Your Money. One box of Tutt's Pills will save many dollars in doctors' bills

They will surely cure all diseases of the stomach, liver or bowels. No Reckless Assertion For sick headache, dyspepsia,

malaria, constipation and biliousness, a million people endorse TUTT'S Liver PILLS



Dainty and Beautiful Things for Presents.

Silver Novelties are always appreciated. They are now produced in hundreds of shapes by the silversmiths. We have many of these treasures in Brooches, Necklaces, Bookmarks, Cologne Bottles, Hair Brushes, etc. Come in any day and look at the beautiful things fashioned from the white metal Our prices will interest all care-

ful buyers. DELKIN'S. 60 WHITEHALL STREET.

We Manufacture -ALL KINDS-

TRUNKS, VALISES,

BAGS, CASES, Etc.

THE



THE MOST CONVENIENT TRUNK EVER DEVISED.

Whitehall Street, Atlante.

CRAYEN IS HERE.

The Forger Arrived from Savannah Yesterday with Officer Tysor.

WILL NOT TALK OF HIS CASE

Has Traveled About 1,100 Miles. The Grand Jury Will Act Today.

Alfred I. Craven, the young man who was captured Wednesday in Savannah and who is alleged to have forged the name of L. H. Hall, his employer, to a \$100 check on the Lowry Banking Company, in this city, arrived at 7:45 o'clock yesterday mornand is now at police headquarters, where he will await the action of the courts.

The grand jury will take up the case today, and Mr. T. D. Meador, of the bank, stated that he would turn over the prosecution of the case to Solicitor Hill, who will prosecute Crayen to the fullest exent of the law.
Captain Lowry stated that there was no

doubt of Craven's guilt, and while he felt very sorry for his mother, yet he believed that the young man should be punished. The Lowry Banking Company had offered reward of \$25 for Craven's capture, and a check for that amount was mailed to the chief of police in Savannah yesterday. The crime with which Craven is charged is of quite a serious nature. About three weeks ago he had a check cashed at the weeks ago he had a check cashed at the Lowry Banking Company made payable to himself, and bearing the purported signature of Mr. L. H. Hall, who is proprietor of the coilin factory, where Craven was employed. The check was soon discovered to be a forgery, and Craven was arrested by Officer Kilpatrick, who took his prisoner to the hunk, where a greener was oner to the bank, where an agreement was made to make the amount good. The offi-cer afterwards accompanied Craven to the office of a coal dealer where the young bookkeeper gave Officer Kilpatrick the slip and went out the street car track to De-catur. He walked from there to Stone Mountain, where he took the Georgia

train for Augusta. He has had some varied and exciting experiences during his travels. He walked into the Planters' hotel in Augusta, wrote his own name on the register, and was shown to a room upstairs. An officer hap-pened to see the signature, and as he went up one flight of stairs, Craven went down another. From Augusta he went to Aiken, and thence to Charleston, Jacksonville, Tampa and Savannah, where he was caught last Wednesday night.

Caught by a Trunk. The method used to capture Craven was somewhat out of the ordinary. After he left he ordered his trunk shipped to his brother-in-law's home in Savannah, where he was caught. The detectives in Atlanta happened to hear of the destination of the he was caught. The detectives in Atlanta happened to hear of the destination of the trunk, and notified the authorities in Savannah. The police there kept a watch on the house to which the trunk was carried and as a result captured the fugitive. Chief Connolly was immediately notified of the capture, and he dispatened officer Tysor to bring the prisoner to Atlanta. Craven was seen at police headquarters last hight and refused to talk about his case. He gave an interesting account of his travels, and stated that if his money had not given out he would never have been caught; in fact, if the officers had been ten minutes later they would never have captured him, for he was preparing to embark on a schooner for Philadelphia. He says he did not tell Chief Connolly that he had bought a horse for a woman, or that he would employ a lawyer and light the case to the bitter end.

He appears utterly unconcerned over his case, and was smoking his pipe and reading a paper last might in his cell with the contentment of a lord.

He has only on one occasion since his departure from Atlanta used an assumed name, and very little disguise. He says he has been associated with officers wherever he has been, and wants the public to know that he has still got lots of sense, even if he did go to Savannah. He wears a blue flannel shirt over a white linen shirt, and judging from his garb, he was intending to lead the life of a sailor.

The grand jury will take up his case

The grand jury will take up his case today, and it is probable that he will be remanded to jail to await trial.

CAPTAIN HEWITT'S SUCCESSOR.

An Officer Will Be Named for That Place Tonight. Tonight a successor to the late Captain The meeting will be head to be practically settled that the present first lieutenant of the company and it is said to be practically settled that the present first lieutenant of the company and it is present first lieutenant of the company and it is said to be practically settled that the present first lieutenant of the company and its said to be practically settled that the present first lieutenant of the company and its said to be practically settled that the present first lieutenant of settled that the present first fictionant of the company, Parks, will be named, W. W. Baker, the second fleutenant, will move up to succeed Lieutenant Parks and First Sergeant Summers will succeed Lieutenant Baker. All of the young men who will thus be moved up are popular young men in the company and their promotion will be witnessed with pleasure.

ON ACCOUNT OF FISH.

Warrant for a Well-Known Business

Man Dismissed. Mr. L. B. McCrory was tried before Judge Orr yesterday on the charge of larceny after trust on a warrant sworn out by Mr. E. F. Donehoo

Mr. E. F. Donehoo.

Donehoo charged that he had consigned to McCrory four barrels of fish. Those fish, he claimed, were sold by the defendant and the proceeds retained by him. McCrory claimed that one barrel of the fish had been condemned by a sanitary inspector and hauled away in a trash cart. The other three barrels he claimed to have sold to parties who never paid for them. Judge Orr decided in favor of the defense, dismissed the case and discharged Mr. McCrory. defense, dismis Mr. McCrory.

SONS OF VETERANS TO MEET. Preparations for Memorial Day Will

Be Made at the Meeting Tonight. A meeting has been called for tonight at the city hall, at 8 o'clock, at which every son of a confederate is urged to be present.

The call was issued by Mr. S. W. Wilkes, president, and Mr. W. W. Davis, secretary, and is for the purpose of completing arrangements for the Memorial Day exercises.

cises.

The Sons of Confederate Veterans will be in the military parade on that day, and all the members will wear gray sashes and the regulation gray hat. They will be mounted, and it is expected that the largest number ever in line will be in the parade. parade.
At the meeting this evening all arrangements will be completed and final preparations will be made. It is asked by the officers of the association that every member be present, as several matters of, importance will be discussed and acted upon.

Women's Meeting.

Women's Meeting.

The Woman's Baptist Missionary Union held its thirteenth annual meeting with about seventy-five ladies attending. Mrs. C. C. Bunn and Mrs. R. O. Pitts welcomed the union to Cedartown on behalf of the Baptist and Methodist societies, respectively, Mrs. J. W. Wills, of Atlanta, responding for the visitors. All officers were re-elected as follows: Mrs. R. M. Seymore, president; Mrs. G. R. McCall, recording secretary: Mrs. J. B. Gambrell, corresponding secretary. The convention adjourned to meet in Gainesville on Friday before the first Sunday in April next year. Cedartown has handled the crowd admirably, 333 by actual count having been quartered four days with our families and hotels. It has been an interesting session and a large volume of business transacted. The visitors express themselves as charmed with their hospitable treatment here and having nothing but praises for the plucky little city of cedars that entertained them so royally.

WILL CELEBRATE TODAY.

ANNIVERSARY EXERCISES SPELMAN SEMINARY.

It Begins Today and Will Continue Tomorrow-Programme of the Exercises for the Two Days.

The fifteenth anniversary of Spelman Seminary will be celebrated today and tomorrow. The first exercises of the celebration will begin at 9 o'clock this morning and continue until noon. Afternoon and

evening exercises will be held. Programmes of rare interest have been arranged for the two days during which the exercises will continue. Some of the brightest minds of the colored race will contribute to the brilliancy of the occasion. Papers and speeches on important and timely subjects will be read and spoken before the convention by prominent members of the race. Two or three prominent whites will engage in the exercises.

Following is the programme in full.

whites will engage in the exercises.
Following is the pregramme in full.
Friday Afternoon, 9 to 12—Devotional exercises from 9 to 9:30. Historical sketch, Miss H. E. Giles, pritecipal Spelman seminary Conference, opened by Mrs. E. S. De Lamotta, Spelman seminary. "Religious Life at Spelman, seminary. "Religious Life at Spelman, Mrs. E. M. Barrett, Spelman seminary. Conference, opened Miss H. A. Howell, Midville, Ga. Friday Afternoon, 2 to 4:30—"Character Building at Spelman," Mrs. H. R. Butler, Atlanta. Conference, opened by Miss C. J. Smith, Spelman seminary. "Missionary Spirit at Spelman," Mrs. G. M. Grover, Spelman seminary. Conference, opened by Miss C. A. Howard, Lukungu, Africa.
Friday Night, 7 to 9—"Industrial Education at Spelman," Mrs. A. C. Little, Spelman seminary. Conference, opened by Professor A. S. Richardson, B. A., president Morris Brown college. "Higher Education for Colored Women," Rev. T. J. Morgan, L.L. D., New York corresponding secretary A. B. H. M. S. Conference, opened by Rev. G. Sale, B. A., president Atlanta aptist seminary.

Saturday Forenoon, 9 to 12—Devotional exercises from 9 to 9:30. "Normal Training at Spelman," Rev. M. MacVicar, LL. D., New York superintendent education A. B. H. M. S. Conference, opened by Miss F. S. Wingtield, Spelman seminary. "Teaching as a Vocation for Colored Women," Hon. G. R. Glenn, Atlanta, state school commissioner of Georgia. Conference, opened by Professor W. H. Crogman, Clark iniversity.
Saturday Afternoon, 2 to 4:30—"What We Owe to Spelman," Professor W. E. Hojmes, A. M., Adanta Eaptist seminary, Conference, opened by Rev. W. J. White, D. D., Augusta, Ga. "Needs of Spelman," Miss L. H. Upton, associate principal Spelman seminary. Greetings and extracts of letters.

Saturday Night, 7 to 9—"Spelman Seminary's Benefactors," Mrs. M. C. Reynolds,

man seminary. Greetings and extracts of letters.
Saturday Night, 7 to 9—"Spelman Seminary's Benefactors," Mrs. M. C. Reynolds, Massachusetts, corresponding secretary W. A. B. H. M. S. Conference, opened by Rev. G. H. Dwelle, Augusta, Ga. "Worth of Spelman Seminary to the World," Rev. H. L. Morehouse, D. D., New York, field secretary A. B. H. M. S. Conference, opened by Rev. H. McDonald, D. D., Atlanta, Ga.
Sunday Forencon, 10:30—Alumnae devotional meeting.
Sunday Afterncon, 3—Sermon, "Christian Education for the Colored People," Professor J. F. Jones, Virginia, Richmond Theological seminary.

A GREAT PIANIST.

Scharwenka Tonight at the Grand

Seabrooke Coming. Herr Xavier Scharwenka, the noted com poser, conductor and planist, will give his recital tonight at the Grand opera house, assisted by the De Pasqualis and Miss Louise Romare. The programme arranged is a splendid one and will be as follows:

(a) Praeludium, A minor, S. Bach; (b) (a) Praeludium, A minor, S. Bach; (b)
Tre Giorni, Pergolese; (c) Sonata, E minor,
op. 90, Beethoven.
Gioconda, "Ciele e More," Ponchielli—
Signor De Pasquali.
(a) Impromptu, G minor, Schubert;
(b) Menuett, B minor, Schubert; (c) Nachstuck, Schumann.
Rigolette, "Caro Nome," Verdi—Signora
De Pasquali.
Scherzo from Concerto, op. 32, X.
Scharwenka. (Arranged for two pianose by
the composer.)—Miss Louise Romare and
Herr Scharwenka.
Cavalleria Rusticana, "No, No; Turiddu," Mascagni—Signor and Signora De Pasquali.

quan. (a) Prairieblume, op. 53; (b) Novellette, op. 22; (c) Spanish Serenade, op. 63; (d) Valse Caprice, op. 1-Xavier Scharwenka.

Tom Seabrooke Coming.

The event of the waning theatrical sca-son, so far as Atlanta is concerned, will be the appearance of Thomas Q. Sea-brooke and his admirable company at the Grand opera house on Tuesday and Wednesday next, when they will produce George H. Broa inurst's delightful comedy, "The Speculator." Speculator." Seabrooke's presentation of "The

Mr. Seabrooke's presentation of "The Speculator" has been one of the big genume successes of the year, and it is a pleasure to chronicle the success of this admirable comedian in straight, legitimate work. The cities of the east and north have accorded Mr. Seabrooke the highest possible praise for his sterling in personation of John Fullerton, the shrewd, witty, quaint old veteran of the wheat pit. Now the south is seconding the praise the east and north have accorded him, for the critics of New Orleans have been unanimous in paying tribute to Mr. Seabrooke's art as a legislimate comedian.

To impart strength and to give a feeling of health and vigor throughout the system, there is nothing equal to Hood's Sarsaparilla. Now is the time to realize the most good from a spring medicine.

KENTUCKY JELLICO.

Many Atlantians Use This and Will Have No Other.

Have No Other.

We have raw weather again and how long it will continue cannot easily be told. Whether it continues or not you should bear in mind that Mr. George P. Howard is the distributor in Atlanta of the famous Kentucky Jellico coal. This is the coal that is without an equal and more satisfaction is derived from using it than f. om any other. First because it burns entirely up and there are no elinkers to be found in the ashes and there are just lets of other reasons.

other reasons.

If you'll order some by way of a trial order you will join the long list of others who absolutely refuse to burn it, their grates any coal but Kentucky Jellico.

Ask for the celebrated Cincinnati, C., Lion Pilsener. Lion Lager received highest award at Cotton States and International exposition. Jerry Towns, agent keg beer; Aug. Flesh, agent bottled beer.

WELL-DRESSED MEN. There Is a Greater Proportion of Them

Than Formerly. Well dressed men are not unusual these days and this is very largely due to the great reduction in prices made by some of our best tailors.

Not a great while back it took quite an outlay of cash to have a stylish suit made by an expert tailor, and even some of the tailors of today hold to their former prices.

The tailors of today note to their forher prices.

But Mr. H. B. Elston, the tailor at No. 3 East Alabama street, has made a diversion and the result is that at his establishment you can have made to order one of the very swellest suits with a saving to the purchaser of about 40 per cent.

His line of imported goods were purchased with a view of pleasing the ucst fastidious and it gives him pleasure to show them and quote you unusually low prices even if you are not inclined to buy.

Old School Books Taken in exchange at John M. Miller's, 33 Marietta street. sepi-tf

Second-Hand School Books At reduced prices at John M. Miller's, : Marietta street. sep1-tf

Foote's Trunk Factory. 36-inch Saratoga Trunk, \$4. 36-inch Saratoga Trunk, \$3.50. Gents' Flat Top Trunk, \$3. Gladstone Vallse, \$2.25. Call and get prices. Trunk and Vallse repairing. 17 E. Alabama street.

Old and New School Books Bought, sold or emplanged at John M. Mil-

Spring Suits

\$10 \$12

\$15 --- \$18

\$20-\$25

The FABRICS ARE FINE. The LININGS ARE CHOICE.

The FIT IS PERFECT. The FINISH IS RIGHT.

Better Than The Products of Most Tailors.

They

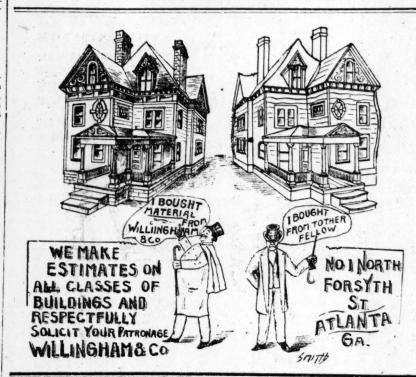
Are

CLOSE SHOPPERS!

Especially adapted to the season are many of the BARGAINS that are being offered. Have you forgotten something for lunch? WE HAVE IT. Do you feel like indulging that uncertain appetite to something tempting? Come in. We can fit it. We'd like to show you also what we have in TEAS and fresh ROASTED COFFEES.

OUR NUMBER IS 79-81 PEACHTREE ST.

OUR 'PHONE IS 1628. CALL US UP.





Bankers Guarantee Fund HOTEL

OF ATLANTA, GA.

Hon. W. A. HEMPHILL, President.

A SUCCESSFUL SOUTHERN ENTERPRISE.

Monthly Record of Applications for nsurance 1896:

OVER 50 PER CENT SAVED IN PREMIUMS

We have, without sacrificing safety, reduced the cost of insurance to a reason-able rate. Our best indorsers are the widows of deceased members. Their re-ceipts show payment in full and long be-fore due. cepts snow payment in fore due.

Agents that can give satisfactory refer-ence can secure profitable contracts. Ad-dress CRAIG COFIELD, General Man-ager, 541-543 Equitable building. Atlanta, feb 8-1m

SATZKY, TAILOR, Has the most correct styles for dress, frock and business suits. First-class trimmings and workmanship. 11 East Alabama street.

A RAGON.

The Famous Hotel of the South.

European and American plans. Perfect European and American plans. Perfect cuisine and service.

The Aragon is entirely new and has every modern improvement known to science.

Most uniform climate in the United States. Daily concerts from 1 to 2 and 6 to 8 p. m. by the Royal Mexican orchestra, the finest musical organization in the south. The public is cordially invited.

RATES—American plan, \$3 to \$5 per day; European plan, \$1.50 to \$3.50 per day.



MATIONAL SURGICAL INSTITUTE Atlanta, Ga. Established 1874.
Treats Club Feet, Diseases of the Spine, His Joints, Paraly-is, Piles, Fistula, Female and private diseases, Hernia, Rheumatism, Uriand Organs, etc. Send for libustrated circular.

THERE'S SATISFACTION In having a Bicycle better than

your neighbor's. None at all in having his better

than yours. ing the better of such a contro-



COLUMBIA BICYCLE COSTS BUT \$100. THE STANDARD of the WORLD. Get a Catalogue. Free if You Call.

The Best Machines of Lower Price are Hartfords \$80, \$60, \$50. The \$50 kind for Boys and Girls. Riding School in Gate City Guard Armory. Ladies' Class to to 1. Gentlemen's Class 8 to 10 p.m.

COPELAND & BISHOP, Agents, 2 Equitable Building.

New Easter

You Want the Best, Dont You?

That's what we claim for our Clothing, Suits, Hats, Furnishingseverything we sell, in fact. Big preparations for this Easter business. Our store presents the most attractive line Toggery of MEN AND BOYS' APPAREL we we have ever shown.

HIRSCH BROS.,

44 Whitehall Street.



BARGAINS IN

Real Estate

WHITEHALL STREET; near Windsor Street—We offer two properties, for 200 feet each, and one 00 x 300 feet, which runs back to Orange street. On each of these there is a good 6-r. h. This property can be improved so as to net 12 per cent on the investment. To a quick purchaser we will sell one or all of the properties at a sacrifice. rifice.

NORTH AVENUE—Corner Spring street, 10x190 feet to twenty foot alley, at \$2,50 per foot. Choice residence property—nething like it: very cheap. \$4,700—Close-in retting property on Brotherton street, two 2-story 7-room houses on lot \$0x100; pays 12 per cent.

\$2,250—Two-story 7-room residence on good lot. (0x160; North Side; a pick up.

GORDON STREET—West End, corner lot, 193x198 feet, at \$35 foot.

Mallard & Stacy. No. 207 Equitable Building. Telephone 1200.

FORREST ADAIR

G. W. ADAIR, Real Estate and Renting Agent,

14 Wall St., Kimball House.

I have the prettiest lot on Juniper street for sale at a great bargain. There is no more desirable location in the city for a home. Come in and get description and Also a beautiful lot on Capitol avenue near Richardson street, for \$50 per front

Five-room house just complete in West End that I can sell on long time for \$2,500. \$2,000 will buy a vacant lot 50 feet front \$2,750 will buy a comfortable 6-room cot-tage on Capitol avenue, lot 50x250. If you intend buying it will pay you to see some bargains that I am now offering.

G. W. ADAIR.

FOR RENT By D. P. Morris & Sons, 48 North

Broad Street, Corner Walton. South Butler...
Washington...
Luckle...
Whitehall...
South Forsyth...
East Cain...
Peachtree... Gilmer.
Williams, near Cain..
Capitol avenue.
Thirteenth street
Garnett.
West End.

Wedding Presents.

Here's where you may buy the right thing at the right price.

The store is brilliant with a variety of very rich and elegant articles in Cut Glass, Imported China and Bric-a-Brac. Choice creations at economic prices.

61 Peachtree St.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's Office, April 8, 1896. Minnie E. Hogan has applied for exemption of personalty, and I will pass upon the same at 19 o'clock a. m. on the 24th day of April, 1896, at my office.

W. L. CALHOUN, Ordinary.

NORTHEN & DUNSON,

REAL ESTATE AND LOANS.

FOR RENT-DESK AND SPACE in our
office, 409 Equitable.

FOR RENT OR FOR SALE-MODERN FOR RENT OR FOR SALE—MODERN six-room house newly painted, water, gas, bath, good garden, stable, elevated lot 50x200 feet to alley; near Girls' High school, for \$4,500, easy terms, or for rent at \$30 per month. No. 104 Crew st., opposite the school, and must be seen to be appreciated. WEST PEACHTREE LOT, near junction of Peachtree, for just \$3,500. New, two-story house, every convenience; \$3,000, easy terms. MONEY TO LOAN at 7 and 8 per cent.

Why Do Cities

In the latitude of the United States?—Because the prevailing winds in the Summer and Fallwhen atmospheric conditions for disease and sickness are favorable-are from the West and Southwest, and they drive the DUST. SOOT. MALARIA and MIASMA from the WEST side of the city to the EAST side. This

is one of the reasons that WEST END

is the most desirable residence community in Atlanta.

REALESTATE BARGAINS.

Wanted, for cash, vacant lot, 60x200; nust be a bargain and in good neighborhood.

8-r. Boulevard, new and modern, lot 50x260, \$500 cash, balance \$45 month, \$3,600.

8-r. h., Washington, new and modern; will take vacant lot as part pay, \$5,000.

3 2-room houses, near West Fair street, big bargain, \$500.

7-r. McDaniel street, worth \$2,600, can be bought for \$1,800 cash.

3-r. h., rents \$26, \$2,250.

2-r. h., \$25 cash, \$5 per month; no interest, \$255.

5-r. h., Bowden street, 50x270, near Peachtree, \$2,000.

J. R. ROBERTS.

ISAAC LIEBMAN & SON, Real Estate, Renting and Loan Agents.

28 Peachtree St.

\$3,000 BUYS 7-room house; water and gas lot 40x100; on Williams street; easy terms. 22,500 BUYS 6-room house; lot 75x200 to al-ley, on Beecher street; \$790 cash, balance 2.500 BUYS 6-room house: lot 75x200 to allev. on Beecher street: \$730 cash, balance \$34.50 per mofith; just like paying rent.
WANT an offer for 6-room house and nearly an acre of ground, fronting on Edgewood avenue and Decatur street, in Inman Park: no restrictions in regard to building. etc: owner compelled to sell.
\$3.500 BUYS good 8-room house and improvements: lot \$8x136 and 12-foot alley on side of Houston street, near Jackson street: easy terms.
\$3.500 BUYS good large house and all outbuildings and four acres of land at Poplar spring: an elegant country home.
WE HAVE a beautiful home, \$56 Washington street, for rent.
\$2.000 BUYS good 6-room house niceive finished and 8 acres of very productive land fronting 500 feet on Peachtree road, near Peachtree Park. There is a good spring and sphinghouse, and fish pond on this place. Very convenient to railroad, and is an idea! country home. Can be driven easily in an hour. driven easily in an hour.

\$2,500 TO LOAN on real estate in or near
Atlanta; local money; no delay.

ANSLEY BROS.

Real Estate and Loans.

\$8,000, elegant 10-room house in half block of Peachtree; former rice \$10,000.
\$2,500_6-room cottage on improved street, near in on South Side; all modern improvements.
33,000—7-room cottage in 300 feet of Peach-tree: easy terms.
52,700—7hirly-one deres adjoining corpo-rate limits of Decatur; convenient to cars. \$500-Beautiful shaded lot at Decatur; three-500—Beautiful shaded lot at Decatur, threefourths of an acre: near cars,
56,000—Elegant 8-room home and corner lot,
very close in, lot 80x150. Can be bought
500—New 2-story, 8-room home on corner
lot; North Side: cheap,
52,00—Five acres at South Kirkwood, cheap,
52,500—Property close in renting for 530.
Office 12 East Alabama street.

Tel. 331.